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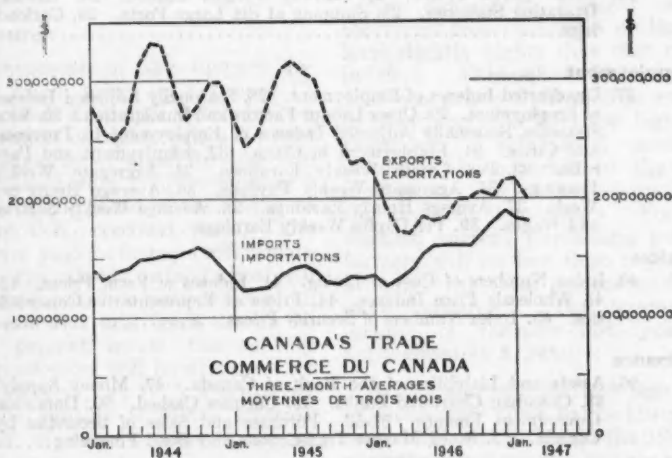
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ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IN MARCH

General price levels moved up fairly sharply during the first quarter of the year as the government took a number of steps towards decontrol. Accompanying these price advances has been some further gain in average weekly earnings and a gradual rise in industrial production. A recent survey of large business firms indicates that they plan to increase their capital expenditures by 70 per cent over the level of expenditure reached in 1946. Although supply limitations may allow only partial realization of these objectives the size of the program points to a continuance of inflationary pressures throughout 1947. In spite of this common stock prices have continued to fluctuate at a level about 15 per cent below the peak reached almost a year ago.

Agriculture

Announcement of the upward revision in wheat prices on February 17 was followed a month later by an announcement of higher prices for feed grains. The price of wheat for domestic sale was raised from 1.25 for number 1 Northern at the Head of the Lakes to 1.55, the U.K. contract price. The initial price paid to farmers will remain at 1.35. The subsidy on feed wheat will not be increased, but since ceilings on flour, bread and mill feeds are to be kept at present levels, the subsidy paid to processors will be increased by the full amount; at 77 5/8 cents per bushel the subsidy is just a fraction over half of the domestic price of wheat.

The support price for oats has been increased from 40 to 61½ cents per bushel with a ceiling of 65 cents, and for barley from 56 to 90 cents with a ceiling of 93 cents. The former equilization payments of 10 cents per bushel on oats and 15 cents on barley have been discontinued. The continuation of current ceilings on livestock and

dairy products makes it necessary to keep feed prices at present levels also, consequently temporary subsidies of 10 cents for oats and 25 cents for barley are to be paid. The removal of the price ceiling on shell eggs will permit the use of higher priced wheat for poultry feeding.

Higher prices for oats and barley fit into the previously announced schedule of 1947 plantings which call for an increase of 9 per cent in the acreage of oats and 19 per cent in barley. However, the increase in wheat prices, even though not realized in immediate payments to farmers, will probably work against the proposed reduction of wheat acreage to 93 per cent of last year's.

Net income to farmers in 1946 recovered from the 1945 decline to a level slightly higher than that reached in 1944. Although cash income last year was nearly \$100 million less than in 1944 income in kind was higher and there was a substantial increase in inventory in contrast to the heavy movement out of inventory during the previous two years. For these reasons, current purchasing power of farmers will be less than a year ago, although the total returns to farmers have improved. The average net income of farmers last year was approximately \$1,800.

At the end of June last year stocks of wheat were down to the lowest level since 1938, and although the 1946 crop gave the assurance of adequate supplies until next season, the very severe winter in Europe and the continuing shortages of other foods, particularly rice, increased demands on stocks and points to a continuation of heavy demand for the 1947 crop. With the cessation of UNRRA purchases European countries may have difficulty in financing future imports; since, however, basic foodstuffs undoubtedly

command a high priority this is unlikely to result in a curtailment of demand this year.

The general index of farm prices for agricultural products rose 1.1 points in February, the largest monthly increase since July of last year, although at 185.9 (1935-39=100), the index is below the July peak of 188.

Prices

The wholesale price index in the first two months of 1947 rose by 6.3 points, an increase very nearly as large as the total rise of 7.2 points during the whole of 1946. The February advance alone of 3.9 points was over half as large as the 1946 rise. The largest group changes were in the non-ferrous metals, which rose by 17.9 per cent and in textile products which rose by 10.8 per cent. Textile price advances were concentrated in cotton yarns and fabrics and reflect the reduction of the cotton subsidy and the consequent increase in the cost of imported raw cotton and cotton yarns.

After a period of relative stability in the last half of 1946, when an increase of 1.9 points in the cost-of-living index was spread over the entire year, the same increase, 1.9 points took place in the first two months of 1947. The food component of the index advanced 1.5 points in February and 1.7 points at the beginning of March, reflecting authorized increases in meat products and in tea, coffee, soap and lard. The clothing and the home furnishing and services group rose sharply in March also.

In addition to these adjustments in price ceilings, a second large group of commodities and services was removed from price control in January and nearly a third of the commodities remaining under ceiling were released at the beginning of April. This list included such items as coal, coke and fuel wood; motor vehicles and major consumers durables, stoves, refrigerators and washing machines; footwear and woollen goods were decontrolled; a wide range of building materials, including plumbing and sanitary equipment; a few food items, eggs, some poultry, and some canned goods.

Further adjustments were made in the decontrol of commercial rents in February and at the beginning of April the first general increase in rents of houses and flats since the ceiling was authorized. A 10 per cent increase in the rent of any dwelling may be put into effect on the termination of the present lease if a new lease for two years is signed by the landlord from which the tenant may be released on 30 days' notice. Since a substantial number of leases are written on May 1st, the increase may soon be put into effect. Since the rent component of the cost-of-living index is at present only 5 per cent higher than at the end of hostilities even an increase of 10 per cent will be substantially less than the increase which took place at the end of the first great war. In the comparable month after the last war the rent index had increased nearly 10 per cent and a year later was 28 per cent higher than at the end of the war. Demand for housing is strong and construction costs continue to advance.

Capital Expenditure

Business firms covering the major portion of Canadian industry plan to increase their expenditures for new plant and equipment by 70 per cent over the estimated value of investment actually reached in 1946. When an estimate is included for other groups such as farmers, independent stores, hotels, and garages, and for the volume of residential construction, a total investment of \$1,739 million is forecast for 1947, an amount over 50 per cent larger than the corresponding outlay in 1946. Our experience in 1946, when actual investment amounted to only 75 per cent of the original forecast, indicates that shortages of basic materials and skilled labour may prevent the complete realization of these plans.

With a forecast of expenditures three times larger than was made in 1946, the mining industry shows the largest increase. Central electric stations and steam railways follow closely with plans for increased expenditures of more than 100 per cent.

Because of the large size of the capital expansion planned there may be some question as to its desirability. Does it mean we are to have a boom in these expenditures followed by a sharp slump in a few years' time, and might not a lower but more stable level of expenditures give more assurance of sustained employment? In addition to giving current employment these expenditures provide additions to Canada's productive capacity which will enable a larger flow of goods in ensuing years. If the market is to absorb this greater volume of products, lower prices or higher wage incomes may be necessary at that time.

A sharp increase in capital expenditures will add to the inflationary pressure against domestic price levels. This is especially true at a time when Canada, through its program of foreign loans, is lending to other countries a substantial part of its current production. A heavy inflow of goods from the United States has helped to ease this pressure during the past year, though at the same time the higher price levels have caused some rise in prices here.

At least in part because of severe winter weather, the number of new dwelling units started in the first quarter receded almost 25 per cent below the number for the same quarter of 1946.

Industrial Production

Production in the heavy industries showed a further improvement in February. Steel production, though still below the level of a year ago moved slightly higher on a daily average basis. A further gain was shown in automobile production and, the 20,810 units produced in February was the highest monthly output since early in 1942. In the case of one product, radio receiving sets, production is already well in excess of the previous high point reached in 1940 when 485,000 sets were produced. In both January and December output was in excess of 80,000 sets, an annual rate in excess of 900,000, and, though factory inventories are still low, the

absorptive power of the domestic market may soon be tested. Exports of radios increased sharply in January when over 8,000 sets were shipped abroad. This compares with total exports of slightly less than 16,000 sets in 1946.

Foreign Trade

Canada's imports advanced sharply during the last quarter of 1946 and they have continued at a higher level for the first two months of the current year. Fourth quarter imports were running at an annual rate of over \$2,200 million. This amounts to 20 per cent of the gross national product, a larger proportion than in any earlier year. Increased consumer purchases, higher capital expenditures including purchases for inventory, and sharply higher price levels in the American market have all contributed to this increase. Another factor, continued subsidies on a number of important products, may have aided the rise, by preventing higher prices in United States from discouraging Canadian purchases. Many of these subsidies have now been removed and the resulting higher prices may tend to dampen further imports.

Canadian exports are also well above pre-war levels though they have declined substantially from their wartime peaks. Total exports for 1946 exceeded \$2,300 million, leaving a net balance of trade on commodity account of about \$400 million. While the overall commodity trade balance is large, it conceals a deficit amounting to almost \$500 million in our trade with the United States, a sharp contrast to our positive balance with all other countries of about \$900 million. Available statistics indicate that exports to these latter countries were financed by our loan program to the amount of \$600 or \$700 million. This purchase of American goods in excess of what can be financed out of current receipts seems to indicate that Canadians have not found it necessary to forego current expenditures to the extent necessary to finance these loans entirely out of their own production.

I. Analytical and General

BUSINESS INDEXES, SUBJECT TO REVISION

Seasonally Adjusted Indexes 1935-6=100	1946												1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.		
Physical Volume of Business...	191-4	192-8	194-3	178-9	180-3	178-1	173-3	179-0	191-3	196-7	194-2	187-9	190-1	190-2	
INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION.....	199-0	197-9	189-6	179-4	181-1	175-5	172-5	184-2	180-2	180-2	187-5	190-8	195-2		
Mineral Production.....	143-5	142-0	155-8	158-7	155-3	158-9	147-7	146-1	138-7	141-6	158-1	165-3	174-1		
Gold, mint receipts.....	65-4	63-2	74-5	72-7	65-9	66-3	59-1	70-1	56-4	49-0	70-0	65-1	61-5		
Coal Production.....	138-2	144-2	142-4	128-2	118-2	139-9	108-8	96-5	95-3	104-1	114-8	91-0	82-2		
Manufacturing.....	190-7	193-9	181-6	177-1	172-9	179-0	179-0	185-5	191-5	192-2	196-8	197-6	198-3		
Crop Products.....	191-2	185-4	181-7	177-1	172-9	165-1	162-3	173-9	185-9	182-3	191-6	183-0	181-7		
Flour production.....	216-8	204-2	188-2	196-7	185-4	189-5	182-2	149-5	150-4	242-7	242-7	230-4	213-2		
Oatmeal production.....	285-4	307-6	282-2	206-7	249-1	137-5	94-5	69-6	118-1	72-6	72-6	103-6	135-0		
Tobacco.....	213-1	215-0	199-0	187-0	174-9	200-8	203-9	239-2	240-8	236-6	256-8	250-7	237-1		
Cigar releases.....	232-9	198-7	193-3	137-3	133-5	142-1	140-6	140-9	138-9	205-0	261-7	255-3	228-1		
Cigarette releases.....	211-4	216-3	201-9	191-1	178-3	227-0	231-9	274-3	276-9	263-8	285-2	277-6	268-1		
Animal Products.....	137-4	161-1	116-5	106-9	113-9	114-0	116-7	120-0	136-4	138-3	136-6	131-0	125-3		
Inspected slaughterings.....	148-4	141-8	120-8	117-0	134-1	132-1	121-5	152-1	162-9	138-3	122-7	109-6	127-5		
Cattle.....	152-1	137-5	111-5	129-9	160-3	158-1	188-0	210-2	174-2	130-1	120-2	140-4	111-8		
Sheep.....	182-2	135-4	84-8	71-4	119-4	190-7	143-1	134-2	134-5	140-6	148-1	152-9	149-1		
Hogs.....	144-0	145-4	129-9	100-1	116-3	99-9	95-0	129-3	133-3	114-0	115-7	93-3	117-8		
Creamery butter.....	111-5	127-4	119-3	108-2	109-7	104-8	95-6	100-1	102-5	98-9	104-6	103-7	114-0		
Factory cheese.....	160-0	262-8	161-3	139-9	125-5	113-2	101-9	106-4	118-3	208-4	117-3	109-1	164-0		
Boats and shoes production.....	151-0	154-1	166-0	182-9	144-9	150-6	143-7	175-5	230-5	220-8	212-7	170-7			
Textiles.....	139-0	139-4	144-0	131-6	132-7	142-6	141-5	145-5	144-5	145-7	143-9	140-5	182-2		
Cotton consumption.....	136-6	126-2	131-5	91-8	94-2	102-3	112-3	127-0	120-2	121-5	110-2	128-5	147-8		
Wood and paper.....	146-9	144-0	143-2	123-0	143-2	149-0	150-9	156-5	157-3	158-6	160-0	164-1	168-2		
Newsprint.....	139-4	131-2	134-4	131-3	143-2	144-0	138-4	140-7	138-7	140-8	154-7	156-5	155-4		
Iron and steel.....	288-4	279-4	283-5	279-9	272-6	248-0	249-8	252-9	265-3	267-3	268-5	272-5	271-0		
Steel production.....	194-0	197-4	227-7	205-4	123-6	91-3	74-9	116-5	208-0	214-0	210-0	199-2	210-4		
Pig-iron production.....	224-6	211-1	218-8	189-3	97-3	64-3	67-8	132-2	205-1	224-0	236-1	223-3	238-6		
Non-metallic minerals.....	157-0	201-2	160-4	158-6	136-4	172-2	163-8	177-7	190-3	181-5	173-4	170-1	172-2		
Coke production.....	158-8	141-5	137-9	182-6	107-9	86-2	105-3	132-5	156-3	140-0	155-3	146-5	144-5		
Construction.....	441-1	426-3	302-6	204-0	237-0	178-6	186-9	284-3	197-7	183-0	185-7	205-0	232-8		
Contracts awarded.....	418-7	403-7	289-6	206-7	224-1	156-9	190-0	271-0	178-1	151-7	183-2	208-9	243-7		
Building permits.....	530-4	516-2	354-5	193-3	288-3	265-0	329-9	337-0	275-5	307-8	196-7	189-4			
Electric power.....	155-6	164-1	166-5	164-5	168-2	164-3	155-2	155-9	154-0	158-3	173-5	172-5	174-1		
DISTRIBUTION.....	175-9	182-3	173-4	176-0	178-6	183-4	175-0	168-1	183-6	200-2	208-2	181-9	179-7		
Carloadings.....	150-1	143-9	146-4	141-3	150-7	146-7	129-2	140-7	150-0	155-5	164-3	180-9	151-9		
Tons loaded.....	198-5	197-5	186-3	176-9	169-7	163-0	149-3	146-9	161-5	176-8	194-2	184-2	190-7		
Imports.....	167-4	186-3	157-2	166-0	180-4	184-8	181-7	198-3	204-9	236-0	276-8	222-5	217-6		
Exports.....	212-7	206-6	195-6	172-3	195-1	254-6	172-5	174-1	197-3	195-5	228-6	195-1	218-3		
Grain and Live Stock															
Marketing.....	68-0	124-6	168-5	97-1	148-6	132-8	97-2	106-8	121-7	168-2	134-7	77-7	96-5		
GRAIN MARKETING.....	84-3	129-9	177-7	92-9	148-4	133-2	96-5	103-2	115-1	98-1	140-4	70-2	97-6		
Wheat.....	82-1	202-0	222-0	119-3	194-8	147-3	117-4	134-4	168-6	135-9	194-0	95-8	130-5		
Oats.....	42-0	316-9	732-8	347-7	484-7	607-5	405-4	215-0	227-8	201-6	262-1	145-2	232-3		
LIVE STOCK MARKETING.....	117-0	101-4	86-0	115-4	138-7	131-0	126-5	150-5	152-2	109-5	103-7	91-4			
Cattle.....	129-5	102-1	87-3	132-1	158-0	149-4	112-5	133-3	171-4	179-1	123-8	119-6	97-7		
Calves.....	96-1	125-4	93-6	80-6	97-4	95-4	56-5	101-9	102-2	95-8	61-1	58-2	79-1		
Hogs.....	97-2	101-6	87-5	90-9	103-3	83-9	75-0	91-3	90-4	94-9	84-1	74-5	83-0		
Sheep.....	84-4	92-6	75-8	61-7	105-7	144-7	102-4	120-5	211-6	129-5	105-7	90-2	80-2		
Cold Storage Holdings*	122-7	150-9	181-8	141-4	168-2	126-3	124-4	134-4	127-2	126-6	128-0	133-6	167-7		
Butter.....	64-5	153-1	223-3	120-7	206-3	107-2	106-9	109-5	115-5	119-8	115-1	123-2	175-4		
Cheese.....	102-1	134-4	190-4	174-5	134-4	93-7	86-4	98-4	94-0	98-7	98-5	98-3	103-9		
Beef.....	127-9	190-7	92-4	132-9	112-8	166-4	162-4	148-1	150-5	135-2	111-0	109-4	95-7		
Pork.....	121-7	135-9	135-2	137-8	125-4	97-6	76-3	106-4	111-2	112-2	119-0	108-2	108-3		
Mutton.....	87-7	81-4	91-2	113-7	231-0	686-7	207-0	106-5	93-5	89-9	88-3	75-5	74-7		
Poultry.....	68-2	62-8	65-9	110-3	180-2	276-9	455-5	605-5	351-4	213-7	220-8	182-5	177-8		
Lard.....	46-6	41-1	33-5	28-6	25-1	27-2	28-7	52-9	61-2	57-3	52-4	42-0	42-7		
Veal.....	127-0	142-2	116-7	112-7	116-5	127-1	109-2	107-7	122-9	101-5	91-6	65-8	69-8		
Percentage of Unemployment†	7-3	5-8	4-6	3-9	3-2	2-9	2-7	2-7	3-0	4-0	4-9	5-2	4-8		

* Receipts at country Elevators.
among persons insured under Unemployment Insurance.

† First of following month.

* Percentage of recorded unemployment

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SITUATION ÉCONOMIQUE EN MARS

Le niveau général des prix s'élève assez brusquement au cours du premier trimestre de l'année, alors que le gouvernement prend certaines mesures nécessaires pour abolir la régie des prix. Cette hausse est accompagnée d'une nouvelle augmentation du gain moyen hebdomadaire et d'une augmentation graduelle de la production industrielle. Un relevé récent des grands établissements d'affaires révèle que ces derniers projettent d'augmenter leurs dépenses capitales de 70 p. 100 comparativement à 1946. Les approvisionnements limités ne leur permettront peut-être pas de réaliser pleinement ces projets mais l'envergure du programme indique que la poussée inflationniste persistera en 1947. En dépit de ceci le cours des actions ordinaires fluctue toujours à un niveau d'environ 15 p. 100 au-dessous du sommet d'il y a presque un an.

Agriculture

La hausse du blé, le 17 février, est suivie, un mois plus tard, d'une augmentation du prix des provendes. Le prix du blé destiné à la vente domestique monte de 1.25 le numéro 1 Nord, à la tête des lacs, à 1.55, prix convenu dans les ententes avec le Royaume-Uni. Le prix initial payé aux fermes demeure à 1.35. La subvention versée pour le blé fourrager n'augmentera pas, mais, comme les plafonds de la farine, du pain et des issues de meunerie demeureront à leur niveau actuel, la subvention versée aux conditionneurs sera augmentée du plein montant; à 77½ cents le boisseau, la subvention dépasse d'une fraction la moitié du prix domestique du blé.

Le prix de soutien de l'avoine augmente de 40 à 61½ cents le boisseau, le plafond étant de 65 cents, et celui de l'orge, de 56 à 90 cents, le plafond étant de 93 cents. Le versement de paiements d'égalisation, de 10 cents le boisseau, pour l'avoine est discontinué. Le maintien des plafonds actuels sur le

bétail et les produits laitiers nécessite le maintien des prix du fourrage au niveau actuel et, par conséquent, les subventions temporaires de 10 cents pour l'avoine et de 25 cents pour l'orge seront payées. L'abolition du prix plafond des œufs en coquille permettra d'utiliser du blé plus dispendieux pour nourrir les volailles.

Le prix plus élevé de l'avoine et de l'orge fait partie du programme de 1947, annoncé antérieurement, qui exige une augmentation de 9 p. 100 de l'acréage de l'avoine et de 19 p. 100 de l'acréage de l'orge. Tout de même, la hausse du blé, même si elle n'est pas immédiatement touchée par les fermiers, sera probablement un facteur qui nuira à la réduction proposée des emblavures à 93 p. 100 de celles de l'an dernier.

Après le déclin de 1945, le revenu des fermiers se rétablit, en 1946, à un niveau un peu plus élevé que celui de 1944. Bien que le revenu en espèces l'an dernier ait été d'environ 100 millions de dollars de moins qu'en 1944, le revenu en nature a été plus élevé et les stocks ont augmenté considérablement, par opposition au gros mouvement de sortie des stocks durant les deux années précédentes. Pour ces raisons, la puissance d'achat courante des fermiers sera inférieure à celle de l'an dernier, malgré l'amélioration du revenu global des fermiers. Le revenu net moyen des fermiers l'an dernier est d'environ \$1,800.

A la fin de juin l'an dernier, les stocks de blé sont à leur plus bas niveau depuis 1938 et, bien que la récolte de 1946 semble assurer des stocks suffisants jusqu'à la saison prochaine, l'hiver très rigoureux en Europe et les déficiences persistantes d'autres aliments, particulièrement le riz, augmentent la demande et font prévoir que cette demande restera forte en 1947. A cause de la cessation des

achats de l'A.R.S.N.U., les pays européens pourront peut-être difficilement financer leurs futures importations; néanmoins, comme les aliments essentiels commandent sûrement une haute priorité, il est peu probable que la demande diminue cette année.

L'indice général des prix des produits agricoles augmente de 1.1 point en février, soit la plus forte augmentation mensuelle depuis juillet l'an dernier, bien que l'indice de 185.9 (1935-1939 = 100) soit inférieur au sommet de juillet de 188.

Prix

L'indice des prix de gros durant les deux premiers mois de 1947 augmente de 6.3 points, soit un gain presque aussi considérable que le gain total de 7.2 points, durant toute l'année 1946. L'augmentation de 3.9 points en février est à elle seule de plus de la moitié plus forte que celle de 1946. Les changements les plus remarquables parmi les groupes se produisent dans les métaux non ferreux et les produits textiles, qui augmentent de 17.9 et de 10.8 p. 100 respectivement. Le renchérissement des textiles se limite surtout aux filés et aux tissus de coton et reflète la réduction de la subvention du coton, d'où la hausse du coût des filés de coton et du coton brut importés.

A la suite d'une période relativement stable durant le dernier semestre de 1946, alors qu'une augmentation de 1.9 point de l'indice du coût de la vie se répartit sur l'année entière, une augmentation semblable de 1.9 point se produit durant les deux premiers mois de 1947. Le composant alimentaire de l'indice augmente de 1.5 point en février et de 1.7 point au début de mars, reflétant les hausses autorisées des viandes, du thé, du café, du savon et du saindoux. Les vêtements, les meubles et les services augmentent de même brusquement en mars.

En plus de ces ajustements des prix maximums, un deuxième grand groupe de denrée et de services est soustrait à la réglementation des prix en janvier et un tiers presque des denrées demeurées sujettes au plafonnement sont libérés

au début d'avril. Elles comportent des articles comme le charbon, le coke et le bois de chauffage; les véhicules-moteur et autres articles durables de consommation, les poêles, les réfrigérateurs et les lessiveuses; les chaussures et les lainages furent soustraits au plafonnement; une grande variété de matériaux de construction, y compris les accessoires de plomberie et d'hygiène; quelques articles alimentaires, les œufs, certaines volailles et certaines conserves alimentaires.

De nouveaux ajustements sont faits dans la déréglementation des loyers commerciaux en février et, au début d'avril, la première augmentation générale des loyers de maisons et plain-pieds depuis la mise en vigueur du plafonnement est autorisée. Une augmentation de 10 p. 100 du loyer de tout logement peut être mise en vigueur à l'expiration du bail actuel, à condition qu'un nouveau bail de deux ans soit signé par le propriétaire, auquel le locataire peut être libéré à 30 jours d'avis. Comme un grand nombre de baux sont signés le 1er mai, cette augmentation sera sans doute rapidement mise en vigueur. Etant donné que le composant du loyer dans l'indice du coût de la vie n'est que de 5 p. 100 plus élevé qu'à la fin des hostilités, même une nouvelle augmentation de 10 p. 100 sera fort inférieure à celle qui s'est produite à la fin de la guerre de 1914-1918. Durant le même mois après la guerre de 1914-1918, l'indice des loyers a augmenté de près de 10 p. 100 et un an plus tard, il s'établissait à 28 p. 100 plus haut qu'à la fin de la guerre. La demande de logements est élevée et le coût de la construction continue son ascension.

Dépenses au compte-capital

Les établissements commerciaux, embrassant la majeure partie de l'industrie canadienne, projettent d'augmenter leurs dépenses en nouvelles usines et nouvel outillage fixe de 70 p. 100 au-dessus de la valeur estimative des capitaux engagés atteinte en 1946. En ajoutant une estimation pour d'autres groupes, tels que les cultivateurs, les magasins indépendants, les hôtels, les

garages, et pour le volume de la construction de maisons, les immobilisations prévues pour 1947 atteignent \$1,739,000,000 soit 50 p. 100 de plus qu'en 1946. L'expérience de 1946, alors que les immobilisations réelles n'atteignaient que 75 p. 100 des prévisions, porte à croire que la rareté de matières premières et de main-d'œuvre spécialisée empêcheront peut-être la réalisation complète de ces projets. C'est l'industrie minière, avec des dépenses prévues trois fois plus fortes qu'en 1946, qui accuse la plus forte augmentation. Les centrales électriques et les chemins de fer à vapeur suivent de près avec des augmentations de dépenses de plus de 100 p. 100.

A cause de l'envergure des projets d'expansion, il peut se présenter des doutes quant à leur avantage. Faut-il croire qu'il en découlera un boom, suivi d'une brusque dégringolade dans quelques années? Un niveau de dépenses moins élevé, mais plus stable, n'assurerait-il pas un emploi plus soutenu? En plus d'assurer un emploi courant, ces dépenses augmentent la puissance productive du Canada, ouvrant le chemin à un plus grand écoulement de marchandises durant les années à venir. Pour que le marché puisse absorber cette production plus considérable, il faudra peut-être que les prix soient alors plus bas ou que les salaires soient plus élevés.

Une brusque augmentation des dépenses au compte-capital ajoutera à la pression inflationniste sur le niveau des prix domestiques. Il en est particulièrement ainsi à un moment où le Canada, grâce à son programme de prêts à l'étranger, prête à d'autres pays une portion considérable de sa production courante. Une rentrée volumineuse de marchandises en provenance des Etats-Unis a soulagé cette pression l'année dernière, bien qu'en même temps le niveau plus élevé des prix ait déterminé une certaine hausse au pays.

Au moins en partie à cause d'un hiver rigoureux, le nombre de nouvelles unités de logement commencées durant le premier trimestre tombe à près de 25 p. 100 au-dessous du nombre

commencé pendant le trimestre correspondant de 1946.

Commerce extérieur

Les importations canadiennes augmentent sensiblement au cours du dernier trimestre de 1946 et se maintiennent à un niveau élevé durant les deux premiers mois de l'année courante. Les importations du dernier trimestre se font à un rythme annuel de 2,200 millions de dollars, soit 20 p. 100 de la production brut du pays, proportion plus considérable que l'an dernier. Les achats plus considérables des consommateurs, les dépenses en immobilisations, y compris les achats de stocks, et la hausse prononcée sur le marché américain sont tous responsables de cette augmentation. Un autre facteur, le maintien des subventions à l'égard de certains produits principaux, a peut-être contribué à l'augmentation en empêchant le renchérissement aux Etats-Unis de détourner les achats canadiens. Plusieurs de ces subventions n'existent plus et les hausses conséquentes tendent à restreindre les importations.

Les exportations canadiennes dépassent aussi de beaucoup les niveaux d'avant-guerre, bien qu'elles aient sensiblement décliné par rapport aux sommets de temps de guerre. Les exportations globales de 1946 dépassent 2,300 millions de dollars, soit un gain net d'environ 400 millions de dollars dans le commerce des denrées. Même si la balance du commerce global des marchandises est considérable, elle masque un déficit de près de 500 millions de dollars dans notre commerce avec les Etats-Unis, ce qui fait contraste avec notre balance favorable d'environ 900 millions de dollars avec tous les autres pays. La statistique disponible révèle que les exportations à ces pays sont financées par notre programme de prêts au chiffre de 600 ou de 700 millions de dollars. Ces achats de marchandises américaines, au delà du volume qui peut être financé par les recettes courantes, semblent indiquer que les Canadiens n'ont pas jugé nécessaire de limiter leurs dépenses courantes au volume requis pour financer ces emprunts totalement à même leur propre production.

BUREAU FÉDÉRAL DE LA STATISTIQUE, le 30 avril 1947.

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITY BY ECONOMIC AREAS

CANADA

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	42,045	20,038	3,079	172.8	56,530	48,352	5,127	64,252
Oct.....	29,428	19,643	3,309	168.7	55,324	61,565	5,749	84,814
Nov.....	44,998	18,284	3,237	171.2	55,952	85,174	8,581	91,170
Dec.....	25,787	15,321	3,289	173.2	55,962	113,386	6,085	81,451
1946								
Jan.....	27,396	15,252	3,429	168.2	51,282	145,952	5,991	81,948
Feb.....	33,092	16,563	3,183	167.2	54,349	161,997	5,336	87,621
Mar.....	57,698	39,567	3,537	167.0	55,249	154,820	5,678	101,992
April.....	75,919	55,403	3,506	168.9	55,932	123,950	5,755	104,164
May.....	82,199	45,324	3,616	169.3	55,413	98,810	6,116	104,725
June.....	66,402	31,172	3,415	169.9	54,969	82,382	5,609	103,925
July.....	67,673	34,084	3,423	173.6	57,193	68,535	5,547	105,918
Aug.....	50,414	30,942	3,440	172.8	57,620	61,822	4,867	85,145
Sept.....	44,816	29,047	3,266	175.5	58,775	57,682	5,891	89,909
Oct.....	73,308	33,611	3,550	178.1	60,327	57,036	6,313	104,876
Nov.....	48,004	24,225	3,567	182.7	62,078	63,760	6,211	109,679
Dec.....	36,534	23,761	3,672	185.7	64,448	84,374	5,935	96,992
1947								
Jan.....	44,711	16,641	3,916	181.0	60,730	103,995	6,216	100,692
Feb.....	53,452	17,598	3,589	180.7	64,985	110,062	5,597	100,577
Mar.....	38,353		3,958	180.3	65,934	103,291	5,737	103,369

MARITIMES

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	2,352	997	92	173.2	4,025	2,064	144.9	5,352
Oct.....	3,343	850	103	170.5	3,956	3,123	120.4	6,269
Nov.....	1,974	497	106	178.2	4,061	4,839	200.1	6,471
Dec.....	1,014	194	98	186.7	4,237	6,457	137.8	5,955
1946								
Jan.....	1,516	437	101	169.5	3,782	9,133	122.7	5,794
Feb.....	726	263	88	165.7	3,865	10,253	106.8	5,701
Mar.....	3,336	1,077	98	164.4	3,927	11,182	123.7	6,764
April.....	3,304	1,690	101	168.8	4,024	10,802	117.8	6,868
May.....	2,892	2,023	102	167.8	3,900	8,492	176.0	7,581
June.....	7,410	2,057	99	172.9	4,013	6,945	138.9	7,175
July.....	3,218	2,023	99	176.0	4,124	6,486	143.2	7,413
Aug.....	1,982	1,210	96	168.4	3,920	5,617	128.4	6,298
Sept.....	2,154	884	85	171.9	3,960	5,244	115.7	7,186
Oct.....	3,873	1,013	102	176.7	4,145	5,981	144.4	7,714
Nov.....	7,314	1,112	108	179.0	4,288	6,455	146.6	7,866
Dec.....	3,114	360	111	184.5	4,341	8,363	139.6	7,321
1947								
Jan.....	7,556	439	102	169.4	3,893	11,299	136.1	7,047
Feb.....	3,105	373	98	168.0	4,273	13,361	117.1	6,721
Mar.....	4,345		105	148.9	3,759	14,678	130.1	6,646

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITY BY ECONOMIC AREAS—Continued

QUEBEC

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	13,438	5,257	1,661	178-1	16,442	20,711	1,399	18,558
Oct.....	10,308	4,620	1,780	175-0	16,176	27,010	1,494	24,124
Nov.....	12,531	4,130	1,708	178-8	16,429	36,575	2,478	25,906
Dec.....	9,356	3,928	1,740	179-4	16,282	48,462	1,744	21,933
1946								
Jan.....	12,446	2,878	1,870	171-8	14,600	58,184	1,655	21,308
Feb.....	5,501	5,903	1,754	170-4	15,463	62,397	1,608	22,948
Mar.....	26,450	12,835	1,959	171-8	16,057	60,640	1,638	26,544
April.....	20,508	15,068	1,978	172-5	16,082	50,151	1,610	27,170
May.....	22,801	12,960	2,095	170-3	15,598	36,030	1,885	26,531
June.....	15,465	7,464	1,966	174-8	16,016	30,523	1,801	27,000
July.....	15,934	10,560	1,995	175-4	16,212	24,631	1,797	28,363
Aug.....	22,552	8,785	2,006	177-5	16,725	20,818	1,525	23,284
Sept.....	20,440	9,470	1,869	181-5	17,248	19,175	1,828	23,967
Oct.....	38,648	9,985	2,030	184-7	17,722	17,558	1,882	27,318
Nov.....	13,163	8,393	2,020	189-1	18,217	19,760	1,822	27,889
Dec.....	12,900	4,839	2,052	192-7	18,754	26,738	1,698	24,458
1947								
Jan.....	11,047	5,164	2,236	186-7	17,611	32,361	2,041	26,234
Feb.....	31,458	3,595	2,040	186-2	18,764	34,051	1,770	26,093
Mar.....	10,709		2,277	188-0	19,266	32,047	1,893	28,563

ONTARIO

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashed	Sales of Life Insur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	14,726	6,335	857	175-2	23,449	16,122	2,419	24,865
Oct.....	9,679	7,554	925	169-6	22,776	20,119	2,572	34,897
Nov.....	19,058	8,453	905	170-8	22,970	27,574	4,037	37,389
Dec.....	9,358	5,417	911	173-1	22,900	33,871	2,846	35,138
1946								
Jan.....	8,984	5,341	925	172-2	21,373	44,525	2,854	36,440
Feb.....	19,107	5,021	860	173-9	23,273	53,021	2,531	40,106
Mar.....	15,683	14,869	947	173-6	23,332	47,905	2,674	46,760
April.....	38,082	20,696	918	175-5	23,867	35,127	2,722	46,225
May.....	29,968	16,530	925	176-7	23,802	32,020	2,544	45,460
June.....	26,685	12,262	888	178-4	23,600	24,340	2,445	45,333
July.....	32,909	13,335	860	179-6	24,380	21,594	2,361	44,681
Aug.....	14,751	11,790	855	174-8	23,945	22,131	2,020	33,713
Sept.....	11,816	11,239	835	176-0	24,120	21,006	2,515	37,178
Oct.....	22,747	14,166	898	179-0	24,834	20,878	2,552	44,483
Nov.....	18,534	9,541	904	185-1	25,633	21,396	2,542	46,587
Dec.....	13,523	12,886	941	188-2	27,055	25,784	2,642	42,194
1947								
Jan.....	19,144	6,756	1,005	186-7	25,872	30,066	2,597	44,075
Feb.....	11,790	6,614	929	187-6	28,051	30,072	2,539	44,286
Mar.....	15,329		1,018	188-6	28,669	27,274	2,331	44,056

2. BUSINESS ACTIVITY BY ECONOMIC AREAS—Continued

PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashied	Sales of Life Insur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	8,464	3,860	241	147.2	6,656	3,839	861	11,126
Oct.....	5,149	4,467	260	147.4	6,649	4,779	1,155	13,747
Nov.....	5,871	2,679	278	150.6	6,778	7,664	1,300	15,554
Dec.....	2,769	2,888	291	153.6	6,927	10,599	949	12,143
1946								
Jan.....	1,406	2,575	294	150.6	6,569	15,428	899	13,058
Feb.....	2,210	1,446	265	145.7	6,559	17,070	697	12,162
Mar.....	8,597	5,786	287	145.3	6,708	17,184	806	14,436
April.....	11,343	12,646	269	146.8	6,655	13,373	861	16,221
May.....	11,907	10,241	270	149.1	6,729	9,333	1,011	16,774
June.....	8,050	7,107	236	153.3	6,900	8,357	796	16,954
July.....	11,031	3,868	234	158.2	7,132	6,498	832	16,656
Aug.....	7,566	4,983	245	161.0	5,685	5,685	802	13,675
Sept.....	7,371	4,049	245	162.1	7,468	5,924	1,008	14,037
Oct.....	5,733	5,889	380	161.1	7,540	6,095	1,227	16,915
Nov.....	4,705	1,927	296	163.8	7,897	7,934	1,213	18,731
Dec.....	4,202	3,386	310	164.7	7,893	12,007	973	14,933
1947								
Jan.....	4,465	973	315	158.3	7,427	16,782	917	15,562
Feb.....	2,951	3,012	284	154.6	7,600	18,531	701	15,180
Mar.....	3,067		310	155.4	7,697	17,724	853	15,024

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Month	Contracts Awarded	Building Permits	Output of Electric Power	Employ- ment	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls 8 Groups	Ordinary Claim- ants on Live Un- employ- ment Register*	Cheques Cashied	Sales of Life Insur- ance
	\$000	\$000	mil. k.w.h.	1926=100	\$000		\$000,000	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	3,066	3,574	228	183.6	5,957	5,016	333.1	4,351
Oct.....	949	2,150	241	174.2	5,767	6,534	408.4	5,777
Nov.....	5,504	2,524	240	172.5	5,714	8,322	565.7	5,850
Dec.....	3,290	2,894	249	171.5	5,615	13,997	408.2	6,282
1946								
Jan.....	2,953	4,022	239	163.7	4,957	18,682	450.7	5,348
Feb.....	5,549	3,930	216	159.8	5,188	19,256	393.3	6,704
Mar.....	3,532	5,000	246	156.4	5,225	17,909	436.7	7,488
April.....	2,681	5,302	240	160.7	5,304	14,506	443.4	7,680
May.....	14,631	3,570	234	163.9	5,385	12,935	500.0	8,370
June.....	8,792	2,282	226	139.3	4,440	12,217	428.7	7,463
July.....	4,581	3,321	235	162.2	5,344	9,326	413.4	8,805
Aug.....	3,563	4,174	238	170.4	5,702	7,571	391.0	7,527
Sept.....	3,036	3,406	232	176.9	5,929	6,332	424.2	7,541
Oct.....	2,306	2,558	240	179.3	6,203	6,524	507.2	8,446
Nov.....	4,288	3,252	239	182.2	6,242	8,215	487.3	8,606
Dec.....	2,796	2,290	258	184.6	6,355	11,482	482.8	8,086
1947								
Jan.....	2,499	3,309	259	180.4	5,926	13,487	525.6	7,774
Feb.....	4,148	3,804	216	180.9	6,296	14,047	469.4	8,297
Mar.....	4,903		248	181.3	6,543	11,568	530.3	9,080

*SOURCE: Report on the Operation of Unemployment Insurance Act.

3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY

Week	Receipts—Country Elevators					Visible Supply		
	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Flax	Rye	Wheat	Oats	Barley
	000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.	000,000 bus.	000 bus.	000 bus.
1946								
Dec. 14.....	5,926	1,344	1,006	21	88	158.4	35,622	25,094
Dec. 21.....	3,183	956	730	10	62	154.3	34,874	24,776
Dec. 28.....	2,929	1,706	1,126	5	36	152.2	35,393	25,352
1947								
Jan. 4.....	2,197	1,329	871	3	23	149.6	35,227	25,095
Jan. 11.....	2,694	1,146	811	1	34	146.6	35,083	24,695
Jan. 18.....	3,561	1,581	935	3	25	142.9	34,631	24,386
Jan. 25.....	1,778	731	441	5	23	138.5	33,689	23,755
Feb. 1.....	2,421	1,015	621	4	34	134.7	32,877	23,117
Feb. 8.....	1,107	414	278	1	20	129.7	31,783	22,248
Feb. 15.....	890	301	226	3	53	125.9	30,432	21,262
Feb. 22.....	1,701	984	488	3	57	122.1	29,378	20,764
Mar. 1.....	2,241	2,297	900	2	60	119.3	29,252	20,451
Mar. 8.....	2,133	2,305	977	2	57	116.9	29,707	20,168
Mar. 15.....	2,596	2,460	1,110	2	124	115.6	29,941	19,971
Mar. 22.....	2,795	2,345	901	6	104	113.3	30,322	19,696
Mar. 29.....	1,888	1,424	644	5	49	110.2	29,047	19,087
April 5.....	1,065	881	486	1	15	105.1	28,241	18,603
April 12.....	726	577	338	1	11	102.8	27,195	17,562

Week	Visible Supply		Ave.* Cash Price Lake- head Rye No. 2 C.W.	Carloadings					
	Flax	Rye		Grain	Lumber Lath and Shingles	Auto- mobiles and Parts	Coal	Mdse. less than Car Lots	Total Cars Loaded
	000 bus.	000 bus.							
1946			cents and eighths of a cent						
Dec. 14.....	3,818	3,267	280/2	6,499	3,550	1,110	7,476	18,019	74,396
Dec. 21.....	3,642	3,258	275/5	6,317	3,667	1,104	6,764	17,765	73,367
Dec. 28.....	3,605	3,205	265	4,117	1,850	769	3,474	12,710	48,205
1947									
Jan. 4.....	3,418	3,188	245	4,184	1,826	663	3,942	12,484	50,455
Jan. 11.....	3,044	3,193	250/7	7,369	2,951	1,001	6,748	16,058	71,219
Jan. 18.....	3,070	2,961	256/5	5,440	3,417	1,186	6,227	17,244	71,894
Jan. 25.....	2,956	2,891	263/3	4,480	3,448	1,182	6,011	17,484	70,502
Feb. 1.....	2,782	2,952	271/3	4,128	3,314	1,245	5,315	17,525	69,962
Feb. 8.....	2,789	2,568	282/5	3,177	3,075	1,191	4,400	16,895	65,241
Feb. 15.....	2,614	2,081	288/3	3,425	3,149	972	5,508	16,597	65,909
Feb. 22.....	2,534	2,130	294/1	4,610	3,588	1,020	4,738	17,113	68,503
Mar. 1.....	2,444	2,027	308/3	6,323	3,575	1,045	4,260	16,724	70,306
Mar. 8.....	2,387	2,011	328/3	5,363	3,217	1,003	3,992	16,007	65,561
Mar. 15.....	2,324	1,970	343/1	5,439	3,275	1,192	4,399	17,635	72,728
Mar. 22.....	2,218	2,008	319	5,941	3,511	1,192	3,970	18,224	72,499
Mar. 29.....	2,073	2,073	311/5	6,060	3,311	1,082	3,526	18,454	70,203
April 5.....	1,967	2,083	301/3	6,120	2,938	937	3,037	17,470	66,639
April 12.....	1,875	2,092	284	8,087	2,862	1,017	3,436	1,908	71,312

*Prices per bushel commencing Mar. 19.—Oats No. 2 C.W. 65 Barley No. 3 C.W. 93. The price per bushel of wheat No. 1. Man. Nor. was changed on Feb. 18 from 125 to 155.

3. WEEKLY INDICATORS OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY—Concluded

Week	Sales on Stockyards				Prices at Toronto			
	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Steers, Medium	Calves Good Veal	Hogs B I Dressed	Lambs, Good Handy-weights
	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$ per cwt.	\$ per cwt.	\$ per cwt.	\$ per cwt.
1946								
Dec. 26.....	13,661	2,930	15,326	5,089	12.39	16.50	21.35	15.75
1947								
Jan. 2.....	8,099	1,761	7,511	2,246	12.50	16.50	21.60	15.75
Jan. 9.....	4,987	624	5,886	1,048	12.38	16.50	21.60	15.75
Jan. 16.....	20,811	3,406	21,395	5,547	12.82	16.55	22.03	15.91
Jan. 23.....	17,418	3,339	14,330	4,178	13.08	16.50	21.97	15.71
Jan. 30.....	17,102	3,126	15,683	4,415	12.96	16.50	21.35	15.57
Feb. 6.....	16,924	3,283	13,409	3,705	13.05	16.48	21.35	15.55
Feb. 13.....	13,560	2,661	10,679	3,143	13.36	15.75	21.35	15.75
Feb. 20.....	16,331	2,759	13,480	2,751	13.76	17.50	21.42	15.78
Feb. 27.....	17,840	4,511	17,676	3,033	13.40	16.50	21.35	15.75
Mar. 6.....	12,929	3,084	12,732	2,058	13.30	16.50	21.45	15.89
Mar. 13.....	11,233	3,332	11,164	2,353	13.79	16.50	21.41	15.96
Mar. 20.....	13,601	7,039	19,813	2,299	13.67	16.50	21.35	15.98
Mar. 27.....	14,338	7,547	16,698	3,158	13.67	16.50	21.35	16.00
April 3.....	12,260	8,821	13,329	1,752	13.89	16.50	21.47	15.95
April 10.....	11,071	11,057	14,717	1,842	14.03	16.50	21.60	16.00
April 17.....	13,394	10,985	15,559	2,252	14.06	16.52	21.60	15.86

Week	Commodity Prices		Stock Averages as of Thursday						
	Industrial Materials	Canadian Farm Products	Montreal Stock Exchange			Toronto Stock Exchange			
			Utilities (10)	Industrial (20)	Paper (10)	Industrial (20)	Gold (20)	Base Metals (10)	Western Oils (15)
1946	1926 = 100								
Dec. 5.....	105.9	113.3	75.2	120.9	336.63	171.77	100.18	82.73	20.82
Dec. 12.....	106.2	113.4	75.6	124.3	340.75	176.14	103.01	84.37	20.69
Dec. 19.....	106.4	113.6	75.5	126.3	358.76	177.87	102.54	85.73	21.14
Dec. 26.....	106.3	113.5							
1947									
Jan. 2.....	106.5	113.5				178.53	107.39	85.77	22.54
Jan. 9.....	106.4	113.7	76.6	126.2	363.24	179.88	110.79	85.90	23.21
Jan. 16.....	107.5	113.9	75.4	122.8	338.57	174.33	106.32	84.37	23.45
Jan. 23.....	113.8	114.0	75.9	124.3	343.24	177.26	110.43	87.59	22.61
Jan. 30.....	114.1	113.9	76.0	125.9	345.47	179.15	110.14	92.16	23.07
Feb. 6.....	116.7	114.5	76.6	127.1	354.88	180.82	113.56	94.56	24.31
Feb. 13.....	117.5	115.1	77.0	129.5	356.41	183.16	113.09	94.32	26.76
Feb. 20.....	120.5	115.4	78.2	128.2	354.68	181.46	111.15	91.81	26.93
Feb. 27.....	121.1	115.2	78.4	126.4	342.92	178.76	113.27	90.99	26.40
Mar. 6.....	121.2	115.9	78.3	126.8	341.96	178.78	109.95	88.92	25.12
Mar. 13.....	121.4	116.2	76.5	124.1	335.98	173.03	106.43	85.66	23.69
Mar. 20.....	122.9	115.9	76.0	123.9	339.35	173.86	108.14	86.06	24.13
Mar. 27.....	123.2	116.3	76.1	123.9	347.08	173.02	108.25	88.86	24.03
April 3.....			77.2	123.5	345.49	174.29	112.53	88.68	24.62
April 10.....			77.0	123.2	339.41	171.71	110.10	88.14	24.62

4. CANADIAN FAILURES, BY BRANCHES OF BUSINESS

Month	Total	Trade	Manu- factures	Log- ging, Fish- ing, Trap- ping	Mining	Con- struc- tion	Trans- porta- tion	Finance	Service	Un- classi- fied
1945										
Aug.....	7	2	2						2	1
Sept.....	12	3	2			2			3	2
Oct.....	11	6	1			2			2	
Nov.....	15	3	1			3	1		6	1
Dec.....	11	3				4	1		2	1
1946										
Jan.....	20	5	9			1	1		4	
Feb.....	14	5	2			1		1	5	
Mar.....	20	6	5	1	1	1			2	1
April.....	21	8	3			1	2	1	6	
May.....	18	3	5			3	1		1	2
June.....	20	4	6		1	2		1	4	2
July.....	25	4	4			4	1		8	4
Aug.....	14	3	3	1		3	1		3	
Sept.....	25	7	3	1		2	3		6	3
Oct.....	35	12	6	1	1	5		1	9	1
Nov.....	30	9	3			5	2		6	4
Dec.....	35	11	8			4	2		7	3
1947										
Jan.....	34	10	10	2		3	2		4	3
Feb.....	40	12	12			5	2		5	4

5. CUMULATIVE FACTORS, FIRST TWO MONTHS

	Pro- duction Steel	Building Permits 58 Munici- palities	Retail Sales	Exports	Tons Loaded by Rail- ways	Employ- ment Eight Groups	Whole- sale Prices	Money Supply
	Short Tons	\$000	1935-39 =100	\$000	000 tons	1926=100	1935-39 =100	\$000,000
1929.....	261,749	18,882	117.2	179,048	11,145	109.8	122.7	2,462
1930.....	248,429	16,136	113.0	137,598	9,919	111.4	122.8	2,348
1931.....	157,063	14,797	99.3	86,895	7,653	101.2	98.3	2,245
1932.....	59,952	6,056	83.9	75,574	6,457	90.7	89.8	2,166
1933.....	59,517	2,112	67.5	58,397	4,977	77.8	82.6	2,052
1934.....	133,040	1,602	72.1	84,866	6,966	90.0	92.7	2,052
1935.....	129,396	4,485	73.4	91,660	7,269	94.5	93.0	2,188
1936.....	216,821	3,224	77.9	113,856	7,393	98.8	94.4	2,374
1937.....	254,307	3,861	81.6	142,755	7,903	104.0	107.0	2,592
1938.....	236,724	4,224	81.4	131,131	8,392	111.9	108.6	2,562
1939.....	173,918	3,633	78.6	129,053	7,326	107.3	95.0	2,708
1940.....	343,660	5,487	90.2	163,168	10,429	115.3	107.3	3,102
1941.....	402,081	8,324	100.3	189,477	11,483	134.7	110.4	3,370
1942.....	498,937	7,990	122.0	320,504	13,416	165.6	122.5	3,716
1943.....	452,566	3,565	129.2	348,007	13,627	182.5	126.3	4,263
1944.....	472,038	8,349	136.4	475,257	16,114	184.5	133.2	5,154
1945.....	519,186	9,811	144.8	474,225	15,230	179.7	133.6	6,074
1946.....	478,516	23,475	163.6	344,487	14,733	167.7	136.1	7,093
1947.....	479,020	26,735	182.2	389,989	15,000	181.1	150.8	7,550

6. FARM PRODUCTS

Month	Wheat						Oats	
	Receipts ¹ Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings	Railway Freight Loaded	Exports		Overseas Clear- ances	Receipts ¹ Country Elevators
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.
1945								
Sept.....	41,962	201,241	9,105	1,746,118	30,134	43,572	26,645	13,136
Oct.....	66,875	222,958	9,926	1,882,628	31,350	48,138	37,551	12,901
Nov.....	36,712	204,786	10,214	1,667,283	38,316	58,530	29,679	7,907
Dec.....	13,240	187,095	9,658	1,131,048	38,099	58,798	20,163	8,891
1946								
Jan.....	14,820	163,684	9,965	908,314	15,248	23,655	19,984	16,874
Feb.....	4,633	136,483	9,519	631,213	9,848	15,390	19,592	5,216
Mar.....	6,036	106,202	10,662	788,501	15,385	24,078	22,780	6,574
April.....	9,487	81,562	9,839	920,203	13,443	21,236	16,220	5,277
May.....	11,697	63,853	10,400	784,206	15,497	24,271	15,131	8,904
June.....	10,103	47,009	9,726	520,752	9,947	15,620	16,161	6,278
July.....	10,960	39,621	9,626	666,277	13,635	21,124	6,471	7,262
Aug.....	23,678	51,022	9,565	655,852	8,442	13,024	5,981	7,687
Sept.....	77,479	107,025	9,938	1,397,169	5,775	9,110	10,134	14,188
Oct.....	72,659	149,578	10,847	1,764,073	19,217	30,600	12,478	15,565
Nov.....	42,184	158,560	11,239	1,647,860	16,852	27,967	20,494	9,901
Dec.....	17,039	149,552	10,499	935,626	14,240	24,231	10,815	5,231
1947								
Jan.....	13,001	134,728	11,077	747,681	14,198	22,770	14,303	6,016
Feb.....	6,314	119,299	9,918	.....	8,101	12,973	10,439	4,239
Mar.....	9,598	110,173	10,493	.....	7,983	13,103	8,121	8,699

Month	Oats					Barley		
	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings	Railway Loadings	Exports		Receipts ¹ Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Mill Grindings
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	000 Bus.
1945								
Aug.....	30,530	1,790	192,719	6,636	4,346	6,057	12,730	463-6
Sept.....	36,527	1,907	257,781	3,640	2,361	11,369	20,640	496-8
Oct.....	39,140	2,226	313,822	4,699	3,134	21,788	37,714	743-7
Nov.....	33,740	2,051	264,930	6,047	4,051	9,847	37,537	766-0
Dec.....	34,347	1,713	184,153	4,822	3,341	3,126	35,610	728-2
1946								
Jan.....	42,647	2,213	298,506	1,584	1,211	2,508	32,914	729-4
Feb.....	39,799	2,244	204,274	1,182	864	928	29,832	597-8
Mar.....	37,746	2,372	232,557	1,296	1,133	1,365	26,150	693-0
April.....	34,996	2,412	235,189	636	553	1,703	22,547	689-0
May.....	28,848	2,699	234,835	2,054	1,616	2,819	19,145	778-9
June.....	24,522	2,206	179,827	3,860	3,238	2,222	16,650	686-3
July.....	23,436	2,127	163,260	4,079	3,027	3,146	14,350	673-4
Aug.....	24,820	2,229	266,323	1,612	1,359	8,532	18,930	769-7
Sept.....	30,333	2,291	308,640	2,229	1,671	15,559	30,187	805-8
Oct.....	34,483	2,556	295,355	4,529	2,942	9,570	29,141	924-3
Nov.....	35,842	2,700	271,414	5,203	3,988	5,002	26,766	1,010-1
Dec.....	35,227	2,350	188,165	1,976	1,505	3,649	25,085	869-5
1947								
Jan.....	32,877	2,371	187,374	1,457	1,265	3,800	23,117	732-1
Feb.....	29,253	2,108	.....	957	893	2,080	20,451	587-4
Mar.....	29,047	2,514	.....	2,556	2,374	3,740	19,087	530-5

¹ Includes Interior Private and mill receipts and platform loadings.

6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Barley			Rye					
	Railway Loadings	Exports		Receipts ¹ Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Railway Loadings	Exports		Price ²
1945	Tons	000 Bus.	\$000	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	Bus.	\$	Cents and eighths per Bus.
Sept.....	274,149	1,409	1,697	606	1,559	18,934	287,746	460,476	168/1
Oct.....	417,181	1,412	1,641	884	2,440	19,185	295,388	471,199	172
Nov.....	352,333	732	715	414	1,860	21,759	749,748	1,328,232	187
Dec.....	196,932	57	68	72	1,460	8,365	622,291	1,132,951	182/6
1946									
Jan.....	159,846	8	13	88	1,458	4,179	130,000	252,200	205/7
Feb.....	79,250	26	47	56	1,240	7,944	20,000	38,800	252/1
Mar.....	92,376	8	14	35	1,173	6,822	30	60	243/5
April.....	119,241	4	6	48	818	11,575	125,423	298,180	264/3
May.....	134,654			59	666	7,973	19,089	39,476	274
June.....	113,578			33	351	3,014	110,031	281,218	290/7
July.....	107,030	8	15	135	374	2,522	125,184	351,982	292/4
Aug.....	201,934	137	220	1,318	1,990	21,780	258,970	643,871	209/7
Sept.....	308,640	74	126	1,384	3,078	27,202	247,425	579,824	226/4
Oct.....	219,295	2,837	4,228	993	3,930	35,022	73,906	163,943	236/2
Nov.....	194,501	1,779	2,649	482	3,711	24,663	539,330	1,381,413	260/7
Dec.....	165,404	1,419	2,369	260	3,188	23,910	2,040,882	4,872,785	272/5
1947									
Jan.....	145,351	437	845	143	2,952	18,079	372,836	654,229	258/2
Feb.....		19	26	192	2,027		50,136	130,637	291/2
Mar.....		15	26	339	2,074		376,004	1,009,138	324/7

Month	Flax				Corn		
	Receipts ¹ Country Elevators	Visible Supply	Railway Loadings	Exports	Mill Grindings	Railway Loadings	Mill Production Corn-flour, Meal
	000 Bus.	000 Bus.	Tons	Flax Seed			
1945				Bush. | \$	000 Bus.	Tons	000 Lbs.
Sept.....	386	1,864	8,285		180.4	5,204	1,899
Oct.....	3,048	4,721	46,241		124.9	3,091	2,072
Nov.....	677	4,192	51,173	1,688	87.4	13,867	1,403
Dec.....	176	4,014	21,183	355,994	1,103,590	177.6	2,037
1946							
Jan.....	137	3,337	20,271		191.0	24,364	1,629
Feb.....	39	2,997	13,309	7,537	205.9	27,933	1,846
Mar.....	53	2,577	16,743	40	214.0	16,491	1,846
April.....	40	2,128	14,794	7,744	195.8	18,711	1,265
May.....	38	1,767	10,117	2,732	156.9	9,715	1,723
June.....	41	1,348	18,894		122.5	7,638	1,275
July.....	19	1,002	11,082	13	140.2	2,235	971
Aug.....	278	982	2,414	1,363	188.9	3,633	1,755
Sept.....	1,114	1,895	18,440		165.5	3,066	1,161
Oct.....	2,543	3,899	42,840	1,400	212.8	3,743	1,904
Nov.....	781	3,883	57,928	4,190	209.0	17,499	1,854
Dec.....	42	3,418	21,612	7,930	224.5	35,496	3,389
1947							
Jan.....	17	2,782	21,128	13,290	74,269	237.6	3,633
Feb.....	11	2,444		16,292	02,801	245.3	3,271
Mar.....	16	2,073		31,715	188,049	262.7	2,936

¹ Includes Interior Private and mill receipts and platform loadings.² Grade 2 C.W. Basis in store at Fort William-Port Arthur and Vancouver.

6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Cattle					Cattle and Calves, Railway Loadings	Calves	
	Stock-yard Sales	Inspected Slaughtering	Exports Except for Stock		Prices Steers, Good, up to 1,050 lbs.		Stock-yard Sales	Inspected Slaughtering
			No.	\$000	\$ per cwt.			
1945								
Sept.....	124,012	180,774	5,253	692	11.03	85,484	38,199	59,825
Oct.....	175,478	224,173	4,012	529	10.56	104,030	48,554	60,236
Nov.....	171,396	250,378	4,313	576	10.70	116,383	44,844	59,904
Dec.....	121,626	179,294	4,075	572	11.60	69,096	24,792	31,445
1946								
Jan.....	100,295	159,635	3,534	479	11.88	53,996	17,595	29,590
Feb.....	81,545	121,104	4,241	609	12.10	43,988	18,515	31,419
Mar.....	70,149	114,982	4,631	642	12.12	42,775	33,177	68,556
April.....	65,643	87,748	5,621	776	12.28	39,585	56,177	109,636
May.....	53,830	76,851	8,800	1,222	12.60	37,626	46,927	95,216
June.....	71,551	103,666	8,597	1,220	13.89	49,650	38,808	69,974
July.....	67,785	123,771	9,405	1,323	13.22	55,986	43,310	73,831
Aug.....	118,082	166,550	6,627	985	12.54	73,043	37,602	69,182
Sept.....	110,362	154,233	6,730	973	12.35	72,734	32,805	53,277
Oct.....	160,412	208,625	7,030	1,039	12.28	99,553	48,980	67,692
Nov.....	155,432	216,513	6,917	975	12.37	100,842	39,864	55,033
Dec.....	103,726	132,632	4,949	756	12.61	57,469	23,744	29,411
1947								
Jan.....	77,242	109,166	3,911	476	13.36	43,749	13,778	22,330
Feb.....	60,660	88,694	2,449	385	13.98	.....	13,615	22,345
Mar.....	52,916	82,568	.....	.....	14.24	.....	27,290	52,363

Month	Sheep and Lambs		Inspected Slaughtering		Hogs			
	Stock-yard Sales	Railway Loadings			Stock-yard Sales	Inspected Slaughtering	Railway Loadings	Price "B" 1 Dressed Toronto
			Sheep	Lambs				\$ per cwt.
1945								
Sept.....	70,579	5,557	22,765	136,760	60,266	299,181	17,769	17.93
Oct.....	127,793	13,470	40,441	213,001	93,164	454,638	22,939	17.32
Nov.....	99,563	11,125	51,306	161,760	96,058	527,803	27,855	17.37
Dec.....	43,402	3,310	27,703	56,603	85,926	459,398	27,598	17.80
1946								
Jan.....	26,910	3,119	18,316	69,315	84,257	477,592	26,977	18.80
Feb.....	14,601	2,776	7,799	54,055	72,799	373,681	22,938	18.67
Mar.....	10,661	3,037	5,064	66,305	71,471	419,451	24,612	17.73
April.....	10,656	1,777	43,119	1,055	76,100	416,102	22,602	19.35
May.....	9,045	659	22,090	1,229	63,211	389,377	21,857	19.86
June.....	17,304	1,071	21,143	16,067	55,522	280,132	16,077	20.82
July.....	39,324	1,986	25,047	56,161	57,110	256,802	14,000	20.90
Aug.....	69,657	6,079	30,492	150,300	45,820	217,912	12,705	21.15
Sept.....	62,183	5,904	30,767	126,030	39,680	216,104	11,678	20.42
Oct.....	111,639	13,270	44,579	197,152	74,571	379,254	18,457	19.87
Nov.....	70,204	7,667	39,946	110,676	79,670	442,247	22,482	20.17
Dec.....	34,532	3,713	27,073	45,771	81,028	384,857	22,990	20.80
1947								
Jan.....	18,893	2,711	19,504	45,966	70,703	378,666	24,196	21.71
Feb.....	11,085	.....	14,601	43,270	54,867	293,977	.....	21.38
Mar.....	10,126	.....	8,930	49,477	61,004	343,103	.....	21.38

6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Live Stock		Meats	Meats and Poultry			Poultry	Lard
	Market-ings	Whole-sale Prices	Exports	Fresh	Cured, Salted	Whole-sale Prices	Cold Storage Holdings	
				Railway Loadings				
1945	1935-39 = 100	1926=100	\$000	Tons	Tons	1926=100	000 lbs.	000 lbs.
Sept.....	119.0	142.1	7,425	21,141	8,033	114.8	5,635	941
Oct.....	136.6	137.8	9,948	35,782	16,763	114.7	6,437	807
Nov.....	166.9	138.5	17,706	36,344	22,840	114.7	9,869	774
Dec.....	176.1	148.8	19,771	39,505	20,931	115.2	15,446	814
1946								
Jan.....	140.9	151.9	14,302	34,949	17,781	115.3	16,182	954
Feb.....	139.2	153.7	14,132	24,750	16,536	115.3	12,252	897
Mar.....	117.0	153.1	12,598	22,162	14,815	115.3	9,520	1,507
April.....	101.4	156.3	9,333	17,063	17,774	120.6	6,409	1,407
May.....	86.0	160.5	11,498	10,678	16,246	120.6	4,433	1,419
June.....	115.4	171.7	7,673	12,909	13,574	124.5	3,386	1,282
July.....	138.7	165.7	7,220	16,335	14,044	124.4	4,570	1,017
Aug.....	131.0	160.1	12,972	17,496	12,884	121.3	6,412	832
Sept.....	68.5	158.4	7,210	22,243	11,342	120.7	8,286	689
Oct.....	122.5	156.8	8,072	25,264	8,507	120.7	12,112	588
Nov.....	150.5	158.2	7,833	26,539	18,613	120.7	18,062	978
Dec.....	152.2	162.4	16,091	24,957	17,278	120.7	25,972	1,190
1947								
Jan.....	109.5	171.4	11,783	20,070	15,726	126.6	30,979	1,455
Feb.....	103.7	176.2	10,265			127.0	29,307	1,419
Mar.....	91.4	178.2				129.5	21,426	1,214

Month	Cold Storage Holdings of Meats—Thousand Pounds						
	Beef	Veal	Mutton and Lamb	Pork			
				Total	Fresh, not Frozen	Fresh, Frozen	Cured or in cure
1945							
Sept.....	19,504	5,735	2,296	24,494	4,235	5,475	14,784
Oct.....	33,935	6,855	4,329	24,963	4,462	4,392	16,140
Nov.....	35,957	6,917	6,291	28,027	5,661	4,037	18,329
Dec.....	42,278	7,192	7,815	30,236	5,711	5,249	19,276
1946							
Jan.....	40,515	5,282	7,775	32,755	4,794	10,805	17,156
Feb.....	30,699	3,113	5,730	36,783	3,767	18,169	14,847
Mar.....	23,801	1,812	3,832	40,719	4,347	20,882	15,490
April.....	21,435	2,080	3,345	50,731	4,773	27,880	17,285
May.....	14,762	3,341	2,040	57,584	5,525	35,379	16,680
June.....	12,044	3,481	1,040	56,750	4,591	36,294	15,865
July.....	15,596	3,505	831	53,473	3,517	35,204	14,752
Aug.....	12,503	3,798	1,292	39,940	3,253	21,231	15,456
Sept.....	18,891	4,138	3,454	25,870	3,249	7,899	14,722
Oct.....	24,757	4,021	3,650	18,055	3,287	3,006	11,762
Nov.....	28,768	4,573	6,641	26,398	4,989	3,894	17,515
Dec.....	36,009	4,977	7,719	33,608	5,728	12,403	15,477
1947							
Jan.....	30,551	3,427	7,070	38,600	3,555	21,072	13,973
Feb.....	23,175	2,208	5,593	43,790	4,349	23,581	15,860
Mar.....	18,202	1,181	3,780	44,396	3,700	22,616	18,079

6. FARM PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Butter						Cheese	
	Creamery		Dairy Storage Holdings	Exports		Prices, Cream- ery, Firsts, Montreal	Production (Factory)	Storage Holdings (Not Process or Cottage)
	Production	Storage Holdings						
	000 lbs.	000 lbs.	000 lbs.	Cwt.	\$000	\$ per pound	000 lbs.	000 lbs.
1945								
Sept.	30,272	66,799	66	3,665	154	-366	24,657	64,357
Oct.	23,931	70,735	57	8,371	323	-374	17,902	62,827
Nov.	14,329	64,659	43	4,414	192	-380	7,238	54,938
Dec.	10,591	50,832	15	5,773	224	-380	2,965	43,166
1946								
Jan.	9,675	35,604	64	2,939	127	-380	1,752	26,492
Feb.	8,671	22,362	21	2,576	108	-380	1,353	24,118
Mar.	11,839	9,782	19	3,640	146	-380	2,709	19,859
April.	19,704	5,190	22	1,865	76	-420	7,421	17,970
May.	31,864	6,236	28	2,129	90	-415	17,005	21,131
June.	42,323	17,453	32	2,052	92	-403	27,945	31,602
July.	41,000	38,378	30	3,331	148	-417	25,200	50,865
Aug.	34,268	57,598	49	9,311	420	-430	21,399	51,813
Sept.	25,867	67,650	16	5,874	266	-420	17,350	42,559
Oct.	22,043	70,158	20	2,794	126	-420	13,190	38,646
Nov.	13,859	65,909	31	4,470	211	-420	5,717	32,279
Dec.	10,253	57,022	20	4,023	192	-420	2,463	25,710
1947								
Jan.	9,807	43,937	13	4,198	197	-420	1,722	26,128
Feb.	8,674	31,392	9	2,723	132	-420	1,275	23,004
Mar.	12,076	21,654	10			-420	2,419	20,043

Month	Cheese Exports	Butter and Cheese, Railway Loadings	Milk				Eggs	
			Con-densed	Evap-orated	Concen-trated Whole Milk, Storage Holdings	Milk and its Products, Wholesale Price	Exports	Railway Loadings
	\$000	Tons	000 pounds	000 pounds	000 lbs.	1926= 100	\$000	Tons
1945								
Sept.	5,437	10,516	3,082	17,907	47,662	98.7	1,806	6,038
Oct.	5,554	11,714	2,111	14,348	39,513	99.3	4,494	7,511
Nov.	2,148	8,220	2,196	8,881	33,175	100.9	4,690	3,669
Dec.	2,710	14,206	1,452	9,388	24,267	101.0	1,964	2,043
1946								
Jan.	1,919	3,678	1,262	7,538	22,752	101.0	2,757	4,902
Feb.	1,152	3,002	1,116	7,779	14,355	101.3	2,000	5,937
Mar.	64	2,036	2,035	14,410	9,031	101.4	4,358	6,240
April.	80	2,321	3,357	18,617	13,071	105.4	2,088	6,196
May.	89	3,962	3,104	24,168	16,651	105.0	2,837	5,972
June.	85	7,125	3,745	29,132	19,734	104.0	858	3,321
July.	53	12,381	2,529	24,608	30,743	105.1	2,184	2,339
Aug.	7,062	9,850	2,935	21,035	31,391	105.3	2,725	1,517
Sept.	5,204	8,083	3,548	16,334	34,731	105.3	923	5,409
Oct.	3,190	6,085	3,644	12,719	32,123	118.5	1,650	7,486
Nov.	1,749	3,579	2,095	8,084	28,010	118.8	3,132	1,942
Dec.	1,302	2,753	1,887	7,763	23,700	119.2	1,267	2,892
1947								
Jan.	467	2,503	1,345	8,090	21,260	119.1	1,214	8,211
Feb.	13		1,626	7,609	16,888	119.2	3,953	
Mar.	158		1,592	15,097	14,256	119.3	3,164	

6. FARM PRODUCTS—Concluded

Month	Eggs					Commodities and Services Used by Farmers			
	Storage Holdings			Price, Grade A. Montreal	Price	Com- posite	Feed	Wages	
	Cold Storage	Fresh	Frozen						
	000 doz.	000 doz.	000 lbs.	\$ per Dozen	1926=100	Price Indexes 1935-9=100			
1945									
Sept.....	17,337	2,652	28,943	-503	94.6				
Oct.....	11,733	2,043	27,076	-505	109.8				
Nov.....	4,875	620	22,043	-505	113.8				
Dec.....	1	538	14,288	-442	92.3				
1946									
Jan.....	71	1,876	8,679	-383	82.4	124.6	129.6	247.4	
Feb.....	838	2,240	5,386	-384	84.0				
Mar.....	497	1,950	4,501	-393	86.1				
April.....	2,088	3,195	3,840	-378	84.6	126.1	130.0	299.1	
May.....	7,668	3,132	4,842	-394	86.0				
June.....	11,248	2,857	7,296	-406	87.2				
July.....	14,025	2,165	9,383	-492	99.9				
Aug.....	13,665	2,017	10,073	-505	102.7	130.5	130.6	316.5	
Sept.....	12,819	1,557	10,551	-505	104.8				
Oct.....	8,519	1,758	9,476	-505	106.1				
Nov.....	1,924	985	8,405	-505	107.0				
Dec.....	9	1,442	6,877	-468	97.9				
1947									
Jan.....	14	2,248	5,438	-423	90.8	132.2	131.7	273.4	
Feb.....	78	2,052	4,895	-393	86.6				
Mar.....	399	2,336	3,694	-395	87.3				

7. FISH AND FURS

Month	Fish				Fishery Products		Furs		
	Caught and Landed		Storage Holdings		Exports	Whole- sale Prices	Exports	Imports	Whole- sale Prices
			Frozen Fresh	Frozen Smoked					
	Cwt.	\$000	000 lbs.	000 lbs.	\$000	1926= 100	\$000	\$000	1926= 100
1945									
Sept.....	1,274,798	5,314	35,334	2,255	9,150	130.0	1,087	1,337	101.7
Oct.....	1,304,662	3,728	38,079	1,956	6,073	130.0	1,374	2,304	101.7
Nov.....	966,904	2,349	38,901	1,801	7,675	130.7	1,675	3,594	101.7
Dec.....	726,945	2,478	33,791	1,572	6,171	130.7	6,330	3,054	106.5
1946									
Jan.....	549,843	1,381	27,443	1,766	6,729	130.7	5,997	3,635	106.5
Feb.....	286,330	945	19,386	1,358	5,218	134.5	3,866	3,689	114.1
Mar.....	448,822	2,021	16,882	1,125	6,830	132.5	3,056	2,503	108.0
April.....	320,301	2,203	17,530	1,250	5,205	138.7	3,551	2,015	105.1
May.....	1,216,259	7,882	15,536	1,441	5,865	138.7	4,265	1,879	109.6
June.....	1,256,254	7,750	22,308	1,735	8,761	138.7	1,960	1,568	109.6
July.....	1,646,197	7,742	32,188	1,849	9,307	144.5	1,512	1,540	107.0
Aug.....	1,690,606	8,940	38,269	2,983	7,768	150.9	1,830	1,074	107.0
Sept.....	1,392,958	7,890	45,426	3,227	8,037	150.9	2,637	2,304	98.5
Oct.....	1,236,666	4,030	44,996	3,008	10,085	150.9	837	1,957	98.5
Nov.....	1,057,220	2,439	44,321	2,731	7,010	150.9	513	2,161	98.5
Dec.....	903,083	2,701	42,822	2,855	5,665	160.2	2,266	1,966	91.5
1947									
Jan.....	899,030	1,882	38,575	3,081	7,554	160.2	3,154	1,862	88.3
Feb.....	161,087	590	32,486	2,232	5,737	157.1	2,633	2,476	67.5
Mar.....	393,840	1,390	26,861	1,717	7,109	152.0	4,140		71.6

8. METALS AND MINERALS

Month	Copper		Nickel		Lead		Zinc		Alumi- nium
	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Production	Exports	Exports
1945	Pounds	\$000	Pounds	\$000	Pounds	\$000	Pounds	\$000	\$000
Sept.....	35,023,084	2,534	16,506,248	3,336	29,175,590	340	38,459,108	1,145	11,155
Oct.....	35,171,852	4,794	17,244,911	3,571	32,609,258	297	38,859,858	1,388	16,829
Nov.....	32,239,787	5,867	15,483,999	4,028	35,000,437	2,388	40,009,351	1,674	7,313
Dec.....	34,930,910	5,794	15,276,195	3,357	34,475,531	596	40,213,452	3,183	2,202
1946									
Jan.....	32,021,065	3,675	13,823,097	2,996	34,169,146	980	41,734,017	2,482	1,685
Feb.....	27,698,802	2,307	12,450,169	2,346	30,477,148	893	39,784,315	2,358	774
Mar.....	32,343,606	3,506	15,188,844	4,484	31,287,569	2,173	42,957,226	2,567	1,593
April.....	31,886,954	2,851	18,479,626	8,413	30,864,007	1,949	41,594,847	2,507	2,679
May.....	30,993,228	3,793	14,733,775	4,219	30,050,050	1,066	40,904,913	2,435	6,359
June.....	30,885,633	1,600	15,188,844	3,874	30,927,636	1,303	39,261,780	1,548	5,440
July.....	31,008,539	2,507	16,240,647	4,247	31,659,550	1,633	39,550,943	2,446	1,303
Aug.....	29,947,283	4,983	15,437,106	6,844	30,094,381	1,390	39,162,797	2,191	14,035
Sept.....	28,846,510	2,819	15,960,785	4,214	29,041,992	1,850	38,564,195	1,241	4,437
Oct.....	30,232,466	1,174	17,218,750	4,640	29,745,248	974	36,831,243	1,765	1,852
Nov.....	35,414,858	2,191	17,467,701	4,290	22,679,455	1,121	37,012,081	2,029	11,803
Dec.....	30,327,699	5,220	16,988,037	4,639	26,556,720	1,525	37,071,231	4,151	4,068
1947									
Jan.....	28,630,929	3,492	19,447,552	5,108	25,152,806	1,812	35,062,672	3,994	3,051
Feb.....	29,396,253	2,797	17,144,086	4,241	25,271,273	1,564	32,088,943	1,712	2,028
Mar.....		3,619		5,099		2,897		3,037	3,855

Month	Gold			Silver			Petroleum		
	Pro- duction	Receipts at Mint	Non- mon- etary Gold Net Exports	Pro- duction	Receipts at Mint	Exports in Ore and Bullion	Pro- ducers Ship- ments	Rail- way Load- ings	Crude Im- ported
1945	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	\$000	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	Fine Ounces	000 barrels	Tons	000 gal.
Sept.....	211,529	192,735	6,800	962,889	27,287	298,491	650-6	19,560	196,360
Oct.....	229,550	223,334	7,700	1,036,259	31,041	220,313	675-9	13,146	219,840
Nov.....	220,755	204,975	9,800	1,096,306	27,944	305,481	652-1	12,213	163,331
Dec.....	239,749	194,941	6,200	1,153,013	28,375	332,934	660-1	13,611	140,188
1946									
Jan.....	238,450	248,308	9,300	1,204,506	36,388	271,577	680-3	13,478	135,025
Feb.....	229,099	228,564	9,500	1,041,585	35,198	255,863	610-3	12,813	106,646
Mar.....	247,918	232,876	10,000	1,165,684	34,650	111,285	663-5	10,764	116,613
April.....	238,216	246,832	7,200	1,055,917	33,601	21,948	644-4	15,613	181,632
May.....	240,339	223,035	10,000	1,037,921	30,020	182,705	649-9	31,197	207,612
June.....	234,353	225,161	7,700	1,174,600	30,283	34,368	621-9	23,545	203,384
July.....	239,554	208,069	6,600	1,266,925	28,780	438,568	635-0	19,463	207,807
Aug.....	231,200	215,858	7,500	1,185,906	29,684	466,616	623-3	18,374	230,008
Sept.....	229,904	197,832	6,800	953,495	26,144	289,061	625-0	18,916	203,816
Oct.....	240,828	247,956	8,500	929,274	30,315	469,852	639-2	18,762	231,128
Nov.....	231,204	188,605	6,000	842,279	26,525	1,271,712	619-8	18,263	203,345
Dec.....	227,469	171,483	6,700	1,013,438	22,497	366,951	594-5	16,610	192,047
1947									
Jan.....	233,825	267,502	9,000	767,095	30,621	906,852	597-6	16,886	166,224
Feb.....	222,142	213,245	6,900	892,953	28,214	559,349	534-5		144,970

8. METALS AND MINERALS—Concluded

Month	Coal								Natural Gas Shipments
	Pro- duction	Imports	Exports	Anthra- cite	Bitu- minous	Sub- bitu- minous	Lig- nite	Em- ploy- ment	
1945	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	No.	Mil. Cu. Ft.
Aug.....	1,202,560	2,799,328	59,340	263	506,732	236,577	26,272	23,799	3,348
Sept.....	1,178,016	2,815,695	78,507	747	541,896	240,399	76,769	23,930	3,697
Oct.....	1,194,386	2,661,949	74,778	354	562,757	211,657	94,480	24,479	4,337
Nov.....	1,790,504	2,269,439	70,374	391	702,130	380,946	101,147	26,007	5,298
Dec.....	1,550,868	2,106,493	60,019	913	593,435	407,875	99,069	26,287	5,738
1946									
Jan.....	1,816,640	1,204,823	44,963	318	640,813	318,757	159,043	26,385	5,640
Feb.....	1,638,333	1,302,801	43,656	489	669,702	315,467	143,833	26,206	5,231
Mar.....	1,593,556	1,452,876	63,080	449	768,848	252,536	104,109	25,765	4,627
April.....	1,363,552	1,331,983	62,745	120	686,876	172,768	53,716	24,877	3,972
May.....	1,395,599	520,907	69,371	274	714,620	168,168	46,039	24,743	3,683
June.....	1,258,782	1,510,509	88,025	1,079	670,237	163,329	44,131	24,750	3,442
July.....	1,152,994	3,226,170	64,354	609	621,018	119,587	39,363	24,814	3,184
Aug.....	1,346,087	3,750,917	87,803	1,061	653,353	208,308	49,829	24,801	3,271
Sept.....	1,426,929	3,509,474	75,174	702	649,299	206,353	95,925	24,773	3,558
Oct.....	1,620,428	4,069,680	85,428	983	745,958	223,190	136,021	25,330	4,364
Nov.....	1,576,999	3,465,368	74,588	863	727,287	240,719	151,364	26,303	5,293
Dec.....	1,572,356	1,477,345	103,285	983	705,997	285,159	161,470	26,331	5,845
1947									
Jan.....	1,699,049	1,289,036	66,267	1,055	677,109	288,099	140,398	26,375	5,985

Month	Asbestos Exports	Producers' Shipments							Salt, Commercial Railway Loadings
		Asbestos	Gypsum	Feldspar	Cement	Clay Products	Lime	Salt, Commercial	
		Tons	Tons	Tons	000 bbls.	000	Tons	Tons	
1945	\$000								
Aug.....	1,877	40,595	98,990	2,973	1,048	814	68,717	28,798	31,648
Sept.....	2,100	38,475	132,350	2,553	1,008	829	68,277	28,614	30,989
Oct.....	1,695	35,268	150,722	2,253	1,104	953	75,122	29,246	36,624
Nov.....	1,587	36,184	110,000	3,507	694	906	89,534	31,401	33,034
Dec.....	1,418	32,367	50,489	2,954	306	681	70,747	24,696	31,878
1946									
Jan.....	1,673	36,863	18,927	1,876	311	766	70,077	21,533	28,349
Feb.....	1,268	29,614	21,976	2,158	273	684	64,336	22,647	28,512
Mar.....	1,654	36,305	54,530	2,027	604	801	72,247	24,762	31,321
April.....	1,581	47,601	110,481	2,485	1,002	863	71,681	27,424	30,980
May.....	2,185	52,833	142,809	2,686	1,536	1,001	75,199	31,341	34,266
June.....	2,295	47,353	150,427	3,414	1,460	1,022	73,817	28,646	34,925
July.....	2,262	45,735	201,724	2,449	1,352	1,222	63,041	21,490	20,734
Aug.....	2,464	53,688	243,654	3,068	1,231	1,181	60,568	16,558	19,892
Sept.....	2,333	51,092	248,525	3,121	1,141	1,112	57,594	19,835	26,718
Oct.....	2,213	55,670	271,355	2,745	1,192	1,231	73,663	21,752	28,892
Nov.....	2,208	52,307	242,496	3,510	931	1,127	76,165	37,491	36,920
Dec.....	2,338	48,487	106,824	4,520	532	868	74,417	40,698	45,730
1947									
Jan.....	2,150	44,058	95,370	1,952	404	880	74,595	46,580	43,072
Feb.....	1,778	42,207	81,759	3,271	422	875	67,958	42,715	.....

9. ELECTRIC POWER IN THOUSAND KILOWATT HOURS¹

Month	Production						
	Hydrau- lic	Thermal	Total	Daily Average		Primary	Secondary
				Amount	1935-9=100		
1945							
Aug.....	3,168,366	69,247	3,237,613	104,439	154.6	2,649,876	587,737
Sept.....	3,001,877	77,433	3,079,310	102,644	146.3	2,533,105	546,205
Oct.....	3,220,107	88,914	3,309,021	106,743	144.8	2,656,027	652,994
Nov.....	3,145,837	91,149	3,236,986	107,900	139.7	2,552,584	684,402
Dec.....	3,197,817	90,893	3,288,710	106,087	141.8	2,610,232	678,478
1946							
Jan.....	3,337,395	91,378	3,428,773	110,606	151.8	2,665,534	763,239
Feb.....	3,103,061	79,950	3,183,011	113,679	152.9	2,464,610	713,401
March.....	3,458,571	78,533	3,537,104	114,100	155.6	2,703,096	834,008
April.....	3,438,705	67,553	3,506,258	116,875	164.2	2,653,744	852,514
May.....	3,548,487	67,290	3,615,777	116,638	166.5	2,742,089	873,688
June.....	3,348,860	66,446	3,415,306	113,844	164.5	2,621,976	793,330
July.....	3,350,646	72,180	3,422,826	110,414	168.2	2,621,903	800,923
Aug.....	3,361,475	78,459	3,439,934	110,966	164.3	2,666,162	773,772
Sept.....	3,177,979	87,881	3,265,860	108,862	155.2	2,591,794	674,066
Oct.....	3,447,855	102,146	3,550,010	114,516	155.3	2,844,171	677,841
Nov.....	3,453,879	112,823	3,566,742	118,890	154.0	2,888,861	677,841
Dec.....	3,564,265	107,851	3,672,116	118,455	158.3	2,997,925	674,191
1947							
Jan.....	3,807,240	108,993	3,916,233	126,330	173.4	3,181,510	734,723
Feb.....	3,504,761	84,464	3,589,225	128,187	172.5	2,895,592	693,633
Mar.....	3,872,832	83,933	3,956,765	127,638	174.1	3,185,457	771,314

Month	Exports and Consumption in Canada							
	Exports to United States			Consumption				
				Total	Primary	Second- ary	Primary Power	
	Total	Primary	Second- ary				Daily Average	1935-9=100
1945								
Sept.....	215,831	120,030	95,801	2,863,479	2,481,256	382,223	80,436	167.4
Oct.....	224,801	117,507	107,294	3,084,220	2,644,952	439,268	81,888	164.2
Nov.....	218,587	108,535	110,052	3,018,399	2,444,050	574,349	81,468	160.1
Dec.....	217,737	112,674	105,063	3,070,973	2,631,864	439,109	80,566	163.7
1946								
Jan.....	198,522	115,299	83,223	3,230,251	2,709,399	520,852	82,266	166.1
Feb.....	178,661	106,200	72,461	3,004,350	2,488,479	515,871	84,229	173.2
Mar.....	219,274	113,340	105,934	3,317,830	2,748,404	569,426	83,540	174.7
Apr.....	236,170	118,938	117,232	3,269,484	2,708,459	561,025	84,494	179.1
May.....	237,035	121,834	115,201	3,378,742	2,784,995	593,747	84,524	181.1
June.....	229,685	116,350	113,335	3,185,621	2,653,760	531,861	83,521	178.7
July.....	251,522	120,043	131,479	3,171,304	2,648,654	522,650	80,705	179.5
Aug.....	232,402	119,746	112,656	3,207,532	2,681,548	525,984	82,142	177.6
Sept.....	199,879	115,466	84,413	3,065,981	2,610,166	455,815	82,544	171.8
Oct.....	184,891	120,542	64,349	3,366,893	2,725,412	641,481	87,917	176.3
Nov.....	140,005	111,775	28,230	3,426,697	2,777,086	649,611	92,571	182.8
Dec.....	166,716	120,914	45,802	3,505,400	2,877,071	628,389	92,807	188.6
1947								
Jan.....	168,163	118,649	49,514	3,748,070	3,062,861	685,209	98,802	198.3
Feb.....	151,786	110,598	41,188	3,437,439	2,784,994	652,445	99,464	199.3
Mar.....	183,125	123,722	59,403	3,773,640	3,061,729	711,911	98,765	201.3

¹Includes the output of Central Electric Stations only.

9. ELECTRIC POWER IN THOUSAND KILOWATT HOURS¹—Concluded

Month	Total Consumption after Deducting Inter-Provincial Transfers								
	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
1945									
Sept.....	803	43,732	44,919	1,300,136	1,004,886	144,838	52,434	48,100	223,541
Oct.....	939	46,836	52,129	1,376,616	1,104,746	158,643	54,616	50,550	239,145
Nov.....	1,124	49,346	52,274	1,290,776	1,100,807	169,184	58,900	52,980	243,008
Dec.....	1,115	50,242	44,004	1,314,120	1,117,055	175,020	62,423	56,201	250,793
1946									
Jan.....	1,125	54,765	42,574	1,428,434	1,170,742	176,288	63,923	56,183	236,217
Feb.....	1,105	49,425	35,445	1,374,524	1,061,898	159,997	57,715	49,894	214,347
Mar.....	976	50,595	43,275	1,567,490	1,122,490	176,311	61,585	51,428	243,680
April.....	1,027	48,935	47,673	1,549,281	1,114,577	166,726	57,544	47,979	235,742
May.....	951	52,150	45,980	1,628,590	1,147,386	165,555	58,314	48,787	231,029
June.....	936	47,680	47,746	1,539,659	1,087,306	136,870	55,084	45,943	224,397
July.....	869	47,586	47,591	1,583,834	1,022,326	133,223	55,563	47,605	232,707
Aug.....	1,047	49,120	43,005	1,602,423	1,028,989	140,423	55,419	50,728	236,288
Sept.....	1,039	46,218	36,188	1,475,926	1,029,556	142,859	56,109	48,607	229,479
Oct.....	1,112	51,284	47,970	1,604,415	1,140,488	166,473	63,008	54,271	237,872
Nov.....	1,263	50,908	52,652	1,589,154	1,192,835	177,167	64,647	56,372	241,739
Dec.....	1,252	53,677	52,248	1,599,459	1,229,625	184,623	68,847	59,049	256,620
1947									
Jan.....	1,283	55,702	41,829	1,755,438	1,329,307	179,258	69,489	50,537	258,011
Feb.....	1,240	47,695	45,714	1,601,634	1,228,679	165,444	59,700	49,649	237,731
Mar.....	1,083	49,505	51,331	1,794,275	1,334,964	178,667	65,100	54,686	244,939

Month	Daily Average Consumption of Primary Power								
	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia
1945									
Sept.....	30	1,458	1,480	31,762	31,317	3,593	1,748	1,603	7,445
Oct.....	30	1,511	1,652	31,196	32,710	3,689	1,762	1,631	7,707
Nov.....	37	1,645	1,706	28,888	33,560	3,807	1,963	1,766	8,096
Dec.....	36	1,621	1,415	28,610	33,072	3,903	2,014	1,813	8,082
1946									
Jan.....	36	1,767	1,374	29,059	34,572	3,971	2,062	1,812	7,613
Feb.....	39	1,765	1,266	31,122	34,644	3,902	2,061	1,782	7,649
Mar.....	32	1,632	1,330	32,485	32,737	3,824	1,987	1,659	7,854
April.....	34	1,631	1,526	32,454	33,694	3,766	1,918	1,600	7,851
May.....	31	1,682	1,400	33,222	33,410	3,818	1,881	1,574	7,446
June.....	31	1,589	1,571	33,026	32,880	3,581	1,836	1,632	7,476
July.....	28	1,535	1,519	33,784	29,579	3,431	1,792	1,536	7,501
Aug.....	34	1,585	1,383	34,386	30,055	3,660	1,788	1,636	7,617
Sept.....	35	1,540	1,200	33,370	31,404	3,860	1,870	1,620	7,645
Oct.....	36	1,654	1,535	34,718	34,388	4,134	2,033	1,751	7,668
Nov.....	42	1,697	1,727	34,864	37,683	4,172	2,155	1,879	8,051
Dec.....	40	1,732	1,641	34,697	38,022	4,278	2,221	1,905	8,271
1947									
Jan.....	41	1,797	1,349	38,342	40,835	4,017	2,242	1,921	8,316
Feb.....	44	1,703	1,633	37,984	41,742	3,971	2,132	1,879	8,376
Mar.....	35	1,568	1,635	39,207	40,999	3,792	2,100	1,764	7,985

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10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS

Month	Wheat Flour				Mill Production		Mill Grindings Mixed Grain	Total Grain Exports
	Mill Production		Exports		Oatmeal	Rolled Oats		
	P.C. of Capacity	000 Barrels	000 Barrels	\$000	000 Pounds	000 Pounds	000 Bushels	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	96.4	2,046	954	7,140	1,937	13,433	2,092	48,123
Oct.....	95.0	2,227	1,064	8,021	241	15,765	2,505	53,407
Nov.....	97.5	2,285	1,000	7,651	2,962	13,126	2,682	64,716
Dec.....	96.4	2,169	965	7,404	1,714	9,152	2,709	63,724
1946								
Jan.....	95.6	2,240	1,139	8,842	1,710	17,496	2,498	25,385
Feb.....	99.6	2,146	1,129	8,801	1,513	18,916	2,292	16,594
Mar.....	102.4	2,393	1,042	8,252	2,062	18,431	2,275	25,405
April.....	98.6	2,217	1,478	11,936	2,312	19,703	2,317	22,440
May.....	100.5	2,344	1,668	13,655	2,172	24,400	1,978	26,047
June.....	97.2	2,184	1,060	8,792	1,649	18,158	1,475	19,220
July.....	91.1	2,164	1,172	9,646	1,594	19,117	1,658	24,606
Aug.....	86.5	2,159	1,977	16,382	1,069	18,874	1,576	15,326
Sept.....	100.6	2,228	1,236	10,831	866	20,011	1,895	11,691
Oct.....	101.4	2,433	986	9,304	881	22,271	2,197	38,200
Nov.....	103.9	2,519	1,368	13,000	1,593	21,266	2,454	36,529
Dec.....	101.2	2,350	722	7,250	931	17,681	2,402	33,685
1947								
Jan.....	103.1	2,478	1,380	13,737	592	17,041	2,226	25,935
Feb.....	99.6	2,212	1,230	12,269	676	12,649	2,307	14,672
Mar.....	99.9	2,354	1,356	13,695	975	16,688	2,277	16,848

Month	Tobacco Released from Bond						Tobacco Industry		
	Cigarettes	Cigars	Tobacco				First of Month		
			Cut	Plug	Snuff	Canadian Raw Leaf	Employment Unadjusted	Per Capita Weekly Earnings	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls
1945	000,000	000	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	1926=100	\$	\$
Sept.....	1,122.9	16,372	2,195,316	291,121	77,064	226,066	121.5	25.72	258,679
Oct.....	1,394.2	19,416	2,608,923	311,276	80,571	221,285	126.3	25.56	267,304
Nov.....	1,423.2	18,427	2,499,952	282,467	83,836	204,240	131.3	25.79	279,125
Dec.....	1,166.3	16,565	1,914,225	238,565	74,207	131,455	146.9	24.99	300,211
1946									
Jan.....	1,491.2	17,905	2,061,638	252,704	77,133	138,326	143.9	18.83	224,196
Feb.....	1,105.1	18,675	1,988,709	234,130	76,883	152,285	145.9	24.92	300,885
Mar.....	967.4	20,139	1,750,179	223,517	76,562	148,885	137.0	23.91	273,951
April.....	1,049.2	18,972	1,897,951	253,548	76,268	146,376	127.8	24.39	259,019
May.....	1,158.2	18,345	2,195,726	259,490	86,582	171,274	114.5	25.66	243,979
June.....	1,180.7	17,016	1,992,498	245,621	84,042	154,915	114.3	26.09	247,604
July.....	1,179.0	16,165	2,223,839	232,733	62,620	169,566	117.9	23.30	229,875
Aug.....	1,362.5	17,411	2,426,070	256,819	86,342	221,300	114.4	26.71	252,581
Sept.....	1,305.7	17,833	2,274,189	259,855	75,870	178,670	121.0	26.99	271,331
Oct.....	1,439.0	20,657	2,573,913	285,419	89,804	219,965	124.4	27.24	281,611
Nov.....	1,407.7	19,704	2,202,503	217,794	86,955	197,423	126.1	26.99	282,707
Dec.....	1,221.2	18,173	1,975,502	216,457	78,688	172,160	136.2	27.39	309,880
1947									
Jan.....	1,246.7	18,065	1,968,066	206,214	87,228	132,080	139.9	21.12	245,470
Feb.....	1,209.1	19,067	2,012,381	211,733	81,511	107,098	151.7	26.97	340,813
Mar.....	1,213.5	19,724	1,943,023	233,075	83,946	101,010	149.9	26.92	335,322

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Four-Week Period Ending	Raw Sugar—000 Pounds				Refined Sugar—000 Pounds				
	Stock on hand at begin- ning of Period	Receipts	Meltings and Sales	Stock on hand at end of Period	Stocks on hand at beginning of Period		Manufactured		Total Manu- factured
					Beet	Cane	Gran- ulated	Yellow and Brown	
1945									
Nov. 3.....	147,688	26,843	66,059	108,473		49,334	103,930	7,900	111,830
Dec. 1.....	108,473	37,055	63,266	82,262		90,583	105,508	9,677	115,184
Dec. 31.....	82,262	64,392	56,321	90,333		144,815	84,809	7,608	92,417
1946									
Jan. 26.....	90,333	47,648	57,464	80,517	111,527	71,705	66,696	6,768	73,464
Feb. 23.....	80,517	44,283	63,199	61,601	114,102	86,822	53,633	6,822	60,455
Mar. 23.....	61,601	57,419	51,017	68,003	100,874	104,810	44,543	6,714	51,257
April 20.....	68,003	44,526	26,541	85,989	88,790	120,451	22,252	3,154	25,406
May 18.....	85,989	84,455	50,773	119,670	75,684	97,587	41,382	5,536	46,891
June 15.....	119,670	38,660	65,539	92,792	63,687	89,158	53,631	7,074	60,705
July 13.....	92,792	85,121	62,802	115,048	53,704	90,358	53,211	6,791	60,002
Aug. 10.....	115,048	55,417	73,856	96,608	42,337	77,131	61,808	7,203	69,011
Sept. 7.....	96,608	79,130	74,405	101,333	29,118	69,551	63,424	7,003	70,427
Oct. 5.....	101,333	103,629	70,743	134,219	17,861	65,852	67,187	7,486	74,672
Nov. 2.....	134,219	77,817	73,565	138,471	13,292	48,336	121,442	9,235	130,677
Nov. 30.....	138,471	77,867	67,939	148,398	56,826	57,624	116,875	9,807	126,682
Dec. 31.....	148,398	15,853	52,838	111,414	101,826	72,116	92,656	8,201	100,856
1947									
Jan. 25.....	111,414	56,652	33,117	134,949	132,748	71,360	49,732	5,069	54,801
Feb. 22.....	134,949	19,977	44,031	110,894	141,279	60,798	38,764	7,400	46,164
Mar. 22.....	110,894	44,928	47,569	108,252	133,529	59,541	39,996	5,875	45,871

Four-Week Period Ending	Refined Sugar—000 Pounds								
	Total Domestic Sales		Sales Granulated		Sales Yellow and Brown	Total Sales		Stocks on Hand End of Period	
	Beet	Cane	Beet	Cane		Cane	Cane	Beet	Cane
1945									
Nov. 3.....		70,273		62,143	8,451		70,595		90,583
Dec. 1.....		60,587		52,450	8,505		60,955		144,815
Dec. 31.....		53,989		45,983	8,025		54,008	111,527	71,750
1946									
Jan. 26.....		55,730		49,902	6,371		55,773	114,102	86,822
Feb. 23.....		55,256		48,993	6,706		55,700	100,874	104,810
Mar. 23.....	12,084	35,485	12,084	30,449	5,175	12,084	35,625	88,790	120,451
April 20.....	13,103	47,894	13,103	42,135	6,139	13,103	48,274	75,686	97,587
May 18.....	11,994	55,104	11,994	48,841	6,457	11,994	55,297	63,690	89,158
June 15.....	9,983	59,395	9,983	52,767	6,743	9,983	59,509	53,704	90,358
July 13.....	11,363	73,127	11,363	67,104	6,124	11,363	73,228	42,337	77,131
Aug. 10.....	13,216	76,518	13,216	70,524	6,219	13,216	76,588	29,118	69,551
Sept. 7.....	11,242	73,844	11,242	66,963	7,163	11,242	74,126	17,862	65,852
Oct. 5.....	11,287	84,732	11,267	76,896	8,497	11,267	85,394	13,292	48,336
Nov. 2.....	16,247	61,540	16,247	52,760	8,845	16,247	61,505	56,826	57,624
Nov. 30.....	16,595	50,554	16,595	41,722	8,873	16,595	50,595	101,826	72,116
Dec. 31.....	18,746	52,404	18,746	43,591	8,813	18,746	52,404	132,281	71,360
1947									
Jan. 25.....	13,440	40,232	13,440	34,099	6,184	13,440	40,283	144,322	60,798
Feb. 22.....	14,241	43,554	14,242	37,085	6,790	14,242	43,876	133,529	59,541
Mar. 22.....	16,335	41,014	16,335	34,406	6,822	16,335	41,228	117,188	64,116

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Production of Boots and Shoes in Pairs							
	Leather or Fabric Uppers					Total Footwear		
	Welts	McKays and all Imitation Welts	Nailed Pegged Screw or Wire Fastened	Stitch Downs	Total	Men's	Women's	Total
1945								
Sept.....	379,194	836,260	162,114	237,406	2,343,401	806,330	1,373,409	3,126,099
Oct.....	455,735	936,109	205,164	279,005	2,760,684	949,963	1,683,741	3,746,710
Nov.....	460,163	946,506	195,277	268,459	2,732,784	945,871	1,621,840	3,655,440
Dec.....	385,685	843,800	161,026	173,933	2,308,515	801,815	1,434,202	3,060,809
1946								
Jan.....	476,016	976,027	197,650	273,069	2,783,150	891,606	1,530,465	3,400,437
Feb.....	496,892	1,009,451	202,158	266,564	2,817,992	898,745	1,559,372	3,496,811
Mar.....	523,556	1,126,037	227,634	359,567	3,213,581	986,308	1,892,582	4,019,660
April.....	488,347	1,053,020	223,891	335,161	3,120,286	952,234	1,824,811	3,878,052
May.....	528,862	1,143,379	218,734	338,200	3,282,456	1,021,189	1,901,385	4,103,104
June.....	461,213	1,043,192	196,976	311,334	2,911,207	912,018	1,681,984	3,655,444
July.....	401,261	803,906	181,700	244,302	2,325,123	770,685	1,342,036	2,990,641
Aug.....	492,662	1,023,483	199,787	251,502	2,928,729	993,721	1,710,694	3,729,059
Sept.....	453,317	918,220	196,793	264,527	2,735,129	891,449	1,616,176	3,489,258
Oct.....	517,835	883,042	215,901	286,914	2,945,241	1,007,493	1,717,136	3,772,592
Nov.....	497,107	615,635	203,239	281,073	2,787,222	1,011,169	1,569,558	3,565,800
Dec.....	463,429	817,755	184,583	266,197	2,554,324	886,186	1,369,464	3,144,192
1947								
Jan.....	476,016	976,027	197,650	273,069	2,783,150	891,606	1,530,465	3,400,437
Feb.....	471,714	572,377	171,050	343,472	2,822,914	892,959	1,443,442	3,299,531

Month	Boots and Shoes						
	Production in Pairs			Employment and Payrolls			
	Boys' and Youths'	Misses' and Childrens'	Babies' and Infants'	Employment 1926=100	Per capita Weekly Earnings	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls	Prices 1926=100
				First of Following Month			
				\$	\$		
1945							
Sept.....	202,334	469,077	274,949	131.0	23.62	426,748	108.9
Oct.....	216,267	546,471	350,268	132.0	23.93	435,682	108.9
Nov.....	236,772	509,006	342,451	134.8	24.23	450,201	108.9
Dec.....	195,221	383,220	246,351	136.3	24.42	459,132	108.9
1946							
Jan.....	212,669	468,601	292,096	133.2	21.77	399,866	108.9
Feb.....	246,585	504,997	287,112	137.4	24.17	458,498	110.2
Mar.....	261,215	550,661	328,894	139.3	24.48	468,104	110.2
April.....	252,353	537,951	310,703	142.1	24.85	486,686	110.2
May.....	250,718	598,492	331,320	143.1	24.11	476,560	110.2
June.....	228,201	543,991	289,250	143.7	23.75	471,256	110.6
July.....	191,715	449,183	237,022	142.6	23.98	472,270	110.6
Aug.....	217,081	548,292	308,412	143.4	24.82	489,342	111.0
Sept.....	210,532	484,573	286,528	144.0	25.22	501,695	113.7
Oct.....	240,340	497,284	310,339	145.3	25.43	510,471	113.7
Nov.....	226,286	478,968	279,819	147.3	25.83	514,673	113.7
Dec.....	206,845	399,698	274,746	144.4	23.21	463,805	117.1
1947							
Jan.....	217,669	468,601	292,096	147.2	26.18	533,358	125.5
Feb.....	201,747	471,044	290,339	146.6	26.38	535,356	125.5

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Raw Cotton Opened				Cotton Imports				Cotton Exports
	By Reporting Firms		Total ¹		Total	Raw and Linters	Yarn	Fabrics	
	Number of Bales	000 pounds	Number of Bales	000 pounds					
1945									
Sept.....	24,743	12,340	28,572	14,253	6,565	3,380	527	2,284	468
Oct.....	29,137	14,538	33,645	16,792	8,864	3,795	597	3,709	742
Nov.....	27,083	13,526	31,273	15,623	8,008	3,836	344	3,108	868
Dec.....	24,287	12,149	28,045	14,032	9,200	4,961	850	2,582	754
1946									
Jan.....	28,224	14,106	32,591	16,292	9,425	4,358	797	3,561	1,158
Feb.....	28,521	14,258	32,934	16,469	7,741	3,414	490	3,088	793
Mar.....	30,250	15,080	34,930	17,417	8,478	3,408	699	3,632	976
April.....	27,847	13,896	32,155	16,050	8,387	2,780	709	4,029	722
May.....	29,256	14,574	33,782	16,832	9,365	4,154	655	3,736	986
June.....	19,932	9,947	23,016	11,489	9,368	3,627	786	3,892	632
July.....	20,379	10,152	23,532	11,725	8,521	3,265	693	3,756	945
Aug.....	22,106	11,133	25,630	12,859	9,097	3,314	766	4,296	894
Sept.....	24,653	12,269	28,467	14,170	6,904	2,179	579	3,246	709
Oct.....	27,808	14,088	32,110	16,272	10,155	2,889	1,043	5,112	823
Nov.....	26,672	13,313	30,806	15,376	14,524	4,737	907	7,377	773
Dec.....	26,192	13,044	30,252	15,066	17,192	6,272	1,074	8,413	1,140
1947									
Jan.....	24,328	11,877	28,099	13,718	17,316	5,316	1,204	9,242	743
Feb.....	26,679	13,294	30,814	15,354	16,860	4,926	1,254	9,114	572
Mar.....	31,857	15,851	36,795	18,308					778

Month	Wool				Rayon			Finished Textiles Employment	
	Imports	Exports	Railway Loadings	Employment Woollen Yarn and Cloth Mills	Exports	Employment Rayon and Silk Goods	Prices Rayon Fabrics	Hosiery and Knit Goods	Garments and Personal Furnishings
1945	\$000	\$000	Tons	1926=100	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100
Sept.....	2,983	2,620	4,254	167.0	459	614.8	68.9	145.7	158.4
Oct.....	3,676	819	5,211	168.7	483	622.8	68.9	148.8	163.7
Nov.....	3,058	1,112	2,961	173.6	327	632.0	68.9	153.0	164.7
Dec.....	4,070	2,705	2,564	178.1	409	648.0	68.9	156.8	163.3
1946									
Jan.....	5,045	2,519	2,516	178.5	553	673.8	68.9	151.1	151.6
Feb.....	3,490	1,732	2,367	184.3	175	702.4	71.6	159.0	159.9
Mar.....	4,645	996	2,356	187.4	654	713.0	71.6	160.5	163.3
April.....	4,494	2,286	2,578	188.7	385	710.0	71.6	160.8	165.2
May.....	4,915	3,871	2,150	184.5	916	710.3	71.6	159.5	164.1
June.....	4,778	380	3,357	176.3	353	702.9	71.6	159.3	163.6
July.....	4,982	2,275	4,080	187.3	923	711.0	71.6	154.3	161.1
Aug.....	6,030	1,676	3,068	186.4	1,076	706.4	71.6	153.2	156.4
Sept.....	6,019	939	3,574	187.5	763	710.2	71.6	157.0	159.8
Oct.....	7,038	868	3,299	189.4	536	714.1	71.6	157.1	164.3
Nov.....	6,743	907	2,986	193.5	986	719.6	71.6	159.2	167.4
Dec.....	6,388	486	2,799	200.1	973	730.1	71.6	162.0	168.9
1947									
Jan.....	6,128	690	2,118	194.2	766	740.3	71.6	158.1	161.1
Feb.....	5,453	491		201.2	513	765.9	71.6	162.3	171.1
Mar.....		484		203.4	681	779.7	78.7	164.6	174.1

¹ Including estimate for non-reporting companies.

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Pulpwood			Wood Pulp					
	Exports		Railway Loadings	Production		Exports		Railway Loadings	Price Ground Wood No. 1
	Quantity	Value		Mechanical	Chemical	Quantity	Value		
	Cords	\$000	Tons	Tons	Tons	Cwt.	\$000	Tons	\$ per Ton
1945									
Sept.....	180,499	2,702	400,884	275,888	171,246	2,415,942	8,923	129,548	55.00
Oct.....	161,072	2,543	337,517	313,300	191,878	2,475,572	9,218	147,996	55.00
Nov.....	172,832	2,907	267,119	301,933	189,634	2,406,609	8,912	126,949	55.00
Dec.....	84,174	1,201	320,477	276,363	173,040	2,506,802	8,620	146,263	55.00
1946									
Jan.....	136,231	1,962	710,451	319,623	190,812	2,209,328	8,249	130,029	55.00
Feb.....	134,376	1,879	879,406	296,403	177,153	2,426,209	8,971	128,286	55.00
Mar.....	142,205	1,995	870,879	327,126	196,850	2,304,947	8,660	149,720	55.00
April.....	92,126	1,305	412,480	330,856	198,688	2,421,107	9,284	143,859	55.00
May.....	80,563	1,348	429,122	352,890	207,149	2,549,153	10,450	146,205	63.80
June.....	126,464	2,316	500,746	327,891	189,720	2,236,786	9,057	148,227	63.80
July.....	209,820	3,599	612,463	338,928	199,377	2,409,411	9,375	136,329	63.80
Aug.....	228,689	3,972	543,335	346,912	219,564	2,314,216	9,391	146,107	63.80
Sept.....	91,491	2,608	447,846	314,926	199,634	2,184,855	9,313	134,334	64.00
Oct.....	242,645	4,246	363,388	360,080	224,939	2,453,388	10,179	149,340	64.00
Nov.....	117,952	2,034	296,055	350,981	218,553	2,598,225	10,867	142,318	64.00
Dec.....	85,354	1,343	334,720	331,534	204,760	2,263,533	10,224	149,933	75.00
1947									
Jan.....	135,590	2,124	710,253	353,127	224,702	2,513,510	11,916	140,555	75.00
Feb.....	116,378	1,837	.....	328,733	207,762	2,295,765	11,202	.....	75.00
Mar.....	.....	1,443	.....	361,078	230,809	2,794,005	14,193	.....	75.00

Month	Newsprint						Pulp and Paper Products Employment	Adver- tising Linage
	Pro- duction	Ship- ments	Stocks	Exports		Prices		
				Quantity	Value			
1945	Tons	Tons	Tons	Cwt.	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	000 lines
Sept.....	269,963	277,017	62,156	5,827,130	17,291	90.7	148.3	25,012
Oct.....	310,975	308,090	65,041	5,393,391	16,026	90.7	148.1	29,412
Nov.....	299,158	298,005	66,194	6,037,366	18,064	90.7	149.8	27,529
Dec.....	276,931	262,765	80,360	5,368,520	15,840	90.7	151.3	26,931
1946								
Jan.....	328,414	316,320	92,454	5,834,037	18,728	99.9	150.0	23,178
Feb.....	308,382	285,304	115,532	5,252,026	17,259	99.9	152.9	24,047
Mar.....	334,127	320,351	129,308	5,903,456	19,527	99.9	153.8	28,618
April.....	337,862	348,103	119,067	6,280,305	20,999	100.7	155.2	29,335
May.....	359,943	367,251	111,759	6,521,206	21,808	100.7	157.0	30,778
June.....	334,207	322,805	123,161	6,415,118	21,535	100.7	159.5	26,121
July.....	357,027	364,591	115,597	6,873,481	22,729	100.7	163.6	24,751
Aug.....	370,676	356,572	129,701	7,457,028	25,248	100.7	165.7	27,269
Sept.....	330,063	335,874	123,890	5,745,862	19,559	101.0	167.3	28,936
Oct.....	376,436	387,294	113,032	6,811,641	24,007	114.8	167.3	33,432
Nov.....	364,304	391,388	85,948	7,365,499	28,697	114.8	167.6	34,278
Dec.....	341,951	340,125	87,774	6,694,652	25,697	114.8	167.0	32,513
1947								
Jan.....	370,000	344,543	113,231	6,545,466	24,913	114.7	164.1	28,461
Feb.....	341,268	319,831	134,668	5,754,479	21,921	114.7	166.5	28,695
Mar.....	372,482	373,769	133,381	.....	23,032	114.7	167.6	.....

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Exports						B.C. Timber Scaled	Price Index of Lumber
	Planks and Boards		Timber, Square		Shingles, Red Cedar			
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value		
	M ft.	\$	M ft.	\$	Squares	\$	M bd. ft.	1926=100
1945								
Sept.....	157,866	8,230,233	1,342	60,651	126,346	604,486	264,353	160.5
Oct.....	224,664	11,345,033	2,999	139,414	146,450	705,144	325,095	160.5
Nov.....	192,118	9,812,856	1,099	43,369	150,399	731,761	242,891	160.5
Dec.....	173,748	8,641,545	4,362	202,901	102,024	503,599	223,248	160.5
1946								
Jan.....	144,978	7,603,365	640	34,534	99,403	528,566	175,883	161.9
Feb.....	127,444	6,600,896	542	31,815	148,106	785,977	198,471	162.5
Mar.....	151,237	7,824,251	1,603	79,420	142,027	776,558	253,630	162.5
April.....	141,016	7,610,252	2,116	111,972	174,471	1,009,630	291,447	170.4
May.....	141,445	8,168,251	3,490	174,658	156,890	909,737	228,427	170.4
June.....	100,639	6,008,827	416	22,654	9,281	64,003	104,438	170.4
July.....	171,114	10,909,968	769	34,146	130,005	839,447	256,577	168.7
Aug.....	169,865	10,873,410	410	26,207	151,934	970,447	330,675	168.7
Sept.....	220,904	13,706,269	869	51,629	181,558	1,229,725	331,968	168.7
Oct.....	252,177	15,999,938	1,018	57,191	211,080	1,423,701	297,160	170.8
Nov.....	236,871	15,161,213	1,646	120,184	153,766	1,062,409	288,015	177.3
Dec.....	211,386	14,924,194	290	16,422	185,409	1,429,199	208,286	177.3
1947								
Jan.....	180,169	13,024,216	269	21,819	120,717	1,114,554	204,755	189.5
Feb.....	204,528	15,676,359	773	70,601	143,157	1,388,248	225,727	193.0
Mar.....	232,251	17,733,115			245,593	2,487,529		193.0

CURRENT PRODUCTION, 1946-1947

	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
MINING									
Cement.....barrels	1,047,367	1,062,671	1,040,279	989,714	1,041,130	973,812	721,264	852,767	726,195
Salt.....short tons	59,000	28,701	15,625	19,150	25,904	54,994	71,516	76,005	72,542
Commercial.....	28,078	19,577	15,107	18,749	20,198	38,763	44,305	45,167	43,989
Industrial.....	30,922	9,124	518	401	5,706	16,231	27,211	30,838	28,553
MANUFACTURING									
Rigid insulating board...M sq. ft.	12,122	12,978	15,174	14,567	15,588	16,344	13,821	15,750	14,476
Sawmills ⁽¹⁾ M bd. ft.	240,193	246,854	211,918	147,435	98,589	63,809	48,606	79,390	106,615
Soft Woods.....	200,974	211,819	186,622	133,338	91,346	58,036	42,918	70,978	91,874
Spruce and Balsam Fir..	123,835	131,369	115,064	77,279	55,663	45,026	32,382	61,180	78,440
Jack Pine.....	18,200	18,573	20,243	15,601	11,573	5,368	6,485	5,728	6,481
Hemlock.....	11,057	10,414	9,344	7,043	2,948	2,073	887	904	1,416
Red Pine.....	6,259	8,923	7,662	8,875	6,891	2,302	36	630	852
White Pine.....	37,684	38,154	31,217	21,487	11,894	2,328	997	2,123	4,071
Others.....	3,939	4,386	3,092	3,053	2,377	939	2,131	423	614
Hardwoods.....	39,219	35,035	25,296	14,097	7,243	5,773	5,688	8,412	14,741
Yellow Birch...	21,706	17,201	10,263	4,307	2,339	1,672	2,358	3,028	5,377
Maple.....	7,260	6,744	4,881	2,964	1,913	1,468	994	1,818	3,102
Basewood.....	2,622	2,331	1,184	619	429	245	228	357	345
Others.....	7,631	8,759	8,968	6,207	2,562	2,388	2,108	3,229	5,917
Gypsum...M. sq. ft.									
Wallboard.....	16,161	15,702	17,724	15,519	18,938	18,978	17,206	17,682	15,148
Lath.....	6,615	7,143	6,999	8,593	9,180	7,060	7,436	7,474	8,060
Block and tile...	45	58	29	52	21	2	.....	12	13
Plasters.....	10	10	9	9	10	10	10	9	10
Concrete products									
Brick.....no	348,735	1,069,385	624,667	669,632	622,339	860,774	583,248	410,832	1,130,023
Hollow block...no	1,319,763	1,328,859	1,251,644	1,240,376	1,251,216	1,078,544	768,375	779,775	695,713
Cinder block...no	561,717	627,706	541,299	554,424	514,818	364,188	287,571	403,182	415,062
Cement Pipe...tons	7,045	8,762	8,682	8,222	8,550	8,627	6,593	6,919	7,293

(1) Figures do not include returns for British Columbia.

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel							
	Iron Ore				Production			
	Imports		Exports		Railway Loadings	Pig Iron	Ferro-Alloys	Steel Ingots and Castings
	net tons	\$	net tons	\$	net tons	net tons	net tons	net tons
1945								
Sept.....	419,505	989,998	144,709	472,270	128,424	135,227	13,517	198,508
Oct.....	474,026	1,075,013	94,697	306,116	121,776	140,693	14,555	205,846
Nov.....	778,309	1,712,424	104,125	320,586	202,820	134,651	13,360	207,981
Dec.....	50,024	93,961			47,934	135,225	15,456	219,281
1946								
Jan.....	1,811	7,441	46	134	1,007	143,685	10,878	244,623
Feb.....	928	4,165			2,780	143,171	10,872	233,893
Mar.....	4,367	17,793			25,066	157,936	8,405	249,117
April.....	1,650	6,707			113,856	142,240	13,083	247,519
May.....	44,732	179,556	70,253	258,739	118,063	159,101	14,069	259,626
June.....	136,601	394,770	64,668	244,307	148,395	129,890	11,684	214,861
July.....	403,897	1,047,061	205,894	839,002	270,294	64,472	6,243	135,914
Aug.....	158,739	457,245	181,010	758,887	261,545	46,494	6,013	88,729
Sept.....	344,611	983,505	200,710	810,590	261,965	45,078	6,164	76,564
Oct.....	526,409	1,466,882	230,873	768,548	284,631	74,958	8,448	123,841
Nov.....	479,500	1,367,388	191,228	671,179	160,121	135,269	9,370	222,264
Dec.....	178,432	534,560	1,074	1,585	53,217	161,464	11,766	237,300
1947								
Jan.....	24,296	84,511	3,245	4,785	76,406	177,313	9,644	249,798
Feb.....	6,714	117,850	456	672		150,632	9,357	229,222
Mar.....						164,403	14,197	269,732

Month	Iron and Steel Imports, Thousand Dollars							
	Iron and its Products	Castings and Forgings	Rolling Mill Products	Engines and Boilers	Farm Implements	Machinery except Agricultural	Tools	Vehicles
1945								
Aug.....	32,680	602	5,023	2,317	4,451	8,053	682	6,273
Sept.....	28,528	496	4,650	1,495	4,269	6,876	643	4,487
Oct.....	31,547	575	4,621	1,887	4,708	8,411	806	4,636
Nov.....	29,078	451	4,443	1,640	3,845	7,696	661	3,728
Dec.....	26,777	527	4,110	1,824	3,950	7,203	655	3,822
1946								
Jan.....	31,881	595	4,463	1,725	4,376	9,454	786	5,264
Feb.....	24,721	283	1,292	1,404	3,857	7,559	688	5,065
Mar.....	29,979	424	3,398	1,527	3,692	8,711	786	6,439
April.....	41,132	594	5,622	1,969	4,667	10,662	963	10,134
May.....	41,664	563	4,890	2,562	5,127	11,093	860	9,654
June.....	40,453	517	3,954	2,615	5,428	11,290	769	8,993
July.....	43,665	722	4,165	4,942	6,674	10,890	835	8,263
Aug.....	43,946	645	4,645	1,930	8,072	11,195	889	8,843
Sept.....	42,814	560	4,794	2,209	5,873	10,915	758	10,226
Oct.....	50,215	796	5,588	2,567	6,495	12,665	991	11,994
Nov.....	51,591	984	5,871	2,675	7,043	12,786	990	11,764
Dec.....	49,003	763	4,696	3,331	7,048	13,069	822	11,027
1947								
Jan.....	48,813	652	5,282	2,796	7,164	13,206	972	10,865
Feb.....	48,604	961	5,195	2,600	6,509	12,681	870	11,742

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel Exports, Thousand Dollars							
	Iron and its Products	Pigs, Ingots, etc.	Rolling Mill Products	Tubes and Pipes	Farm Implements	Hardware and Cutlery	Machinery, Other than Farm	Motor Vehicles and Parts
1945								
Sept.....	29,050	335	651	117	1,740	341	1,297	18,481
Oct.....	20,200	821	958	323	1,280	361	1,664	8,922
Nov.....	17,181	691	625	303	1,552	356	1,586	9,126
Dec.....	17,340	133	270	171	1,971	285	1,035	9,590
1946								
Jan.....	17,928	720	1,072	186	2,338	312	850	9,009
Feb.....	19,637	513	572	77	1,320	193	715	10,362
Mar.....	18,167	170	753	214	2,525	356	1,218	7,558
April.....	18,939	362	415	90	4,466	319	970	8,889
May.....	17,810	713	673	69	3,282	353	1,178	7,234
June.....	24,706	520	647	36	2,450	307	1,153	14,504
July.....	21,936	145	616	92	2,975	319	1,085	12,253
Aug.....	30,954	5	483	132	2,126	682	1,598	17,755
Sept.....	10,842	.....	331	73	1,392	315	1,035	5,795
Oct.....	10,658	518	332	40	1,861	300	2,083	3,957
Nov.....	18,921	.....	772	20	2,137	330	1,791	8,100
Dec.....	16,728	181	861	63	1,787	390	1,859	6,414
1947								
Jan.....	21,425	238	356	25	2,200	451	2,496	11,558
Feb.....	20,089	519	849	.....	2,712	429	1,363	8,493
Mar.....	20,769	877	393	.....	3,498	365	2,638	.....

Month	Iron and Steel. Prices and Price Indexes							
	Iron and its Products	Pig Iron and Steel Billets	Rolling Mill Products	Hardware	Wire	Scrap	Pig Iron Foundry No. 1	Steel Merchant Bars Mill
1945								
Sept.....	117-1	104-8	123-7	93-9	105-5	110-3	\$ per ton 25-50	\$ per 100 lbs. 2-754
Oct.....	116-9	104-8	123-3	93-9	105-5	110-3	25-50	2-754
Nov.....	116-9	104-8	123-3	93-9	105-5	110-3	25-50	2-754
Dec.....	117-0	104-8	123-6	93-9	105-5	110-3	25-50	2-754
1946								
Jan.....	117-4	104-8	124-2	94-0	105-5	110-3	25-50	2-754
Feb.....	118-2	104-8	125-0	97-6	105-5	110-3	25-50	2-754
Mar.....	116-2	104-8	121-0	98-2	105-5	110-3	25-50	2-550
April.....	127-9	123-5	136-1	100-8	122-6	110-3	30-50	3-240
May.....	128-1	123-5	136-3	101-5	122-6	110-3	30-50	3-240
June.....	128-4	123-5	136-3	104-2	122-6	110-3	30-50	3-240
July.....	128-3	123-5	136-0	104-2	122-6	110-3	30-50	3-240
Aug.....	128-5	123-5	135-9	104-2	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
Sept.....	128-6	123-5	135-9	104-4	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
Oct.....	128-6	123-5	135-9	104-4	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
Nov.....	128-6	123-5	135-9	104-4	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
Dec.....	128-6	123-5	135-9	104-4	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
1947								
Jan.....	131-4	123-5	137-6	107-1	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
Feb.....	131-9	123-5	137-8	110-7	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240
Mar.....	132-0	123-5	137-8	111-3	119-3	110-3	30-50	3-240

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel Products. Employment Unadjusted. 1926=100								
	Total	Crude Rolled and Forged Products	Machinery	Agricultural Implements	Land Vehicles		Steel Ship-building and Repairing	Heating Appliances	Iron and Steel Fabrication
					Total	Auto-mobiles and Parts			
1945									
Sept.....	253.7	237.7	216.3	139.9	212.1	269.3	1,066.2	180.0	249.5
Oct.....	215.0	228.8	213.7	140.3	161.2	171.3	876.3	178.4	235.5
Nov.....	208.6	225.2	217.6	149.6	154.4	168.5	836.7	183.0	224.5
Dec.....	200.8	222.0	222.6	158.2	145.6	139.9	722.9	191.4	220.3
1946									
Jan.....	200.0	248.4	222.3	161.0	155.8	186.4	613.4	190.7	178.1
Feb.....	204.3	253.9	225.9	164.8	160.8	214.6	575.4	193.6	180.1
Mar.....	202.7	254.1	229.2	169.3	159.1	207.2	538.7	193.5	177.1
April.....	206.8	257.4	232.5	166.5	166.2	229.1	544.5	193.0	176.3
May.....	209.1	259.0	232.7	164.6	172.5	256.8	535.0	191.6	178.7
June.....	208.9	257.3	234.2	164.0	173.1	263.8	527.4	191.1	181.1
July.....	205.6	255.9	233.7	165.3	167.3	241.1	509.7	194.1	182.1
Aug.....	197.0	190.9	236.0	165.3	165.8	241.6	490.8	198.3	178.9
Sept.....	196.5	184.5	234.2	160.8	164.8	240.3	477.1	198.2	181.7
Oct.....	194.2	182.4	237.8	166.8	161.8	236.0	475.1	194.6	181.1
Nov.....	203.2	248.5	239.7	168.9	163.4	244.6	478.4	200.8	175.2
Dec.....	206.3	250.4	249.7	170.8	166.0	253.3	474.4	203.5	185.9
1947									
Jan.....	204.7	260.0	253.2	167.3	165.7	249.2	453.1	196.3	187.5
Feb.....	208.4	260.8	256.4	172.3	167.6	258.3	474.0	208.2	193.1
Mar.....	210.2	259.8	255.7	176.0	170.9	270.2	478.3	206.9	198.2

Month	Iron and Steel Products						Per Capita Weekly Earnings		
	Employment, 1926=100						Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged	Machinery other than Vehicles
	Unadjusted		Seasonally Adjusted						
	Foundry and Machine Shop Products	Other Iron and Steel Products	Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged Products	Machinery other than Vehicles	Agricultural Implements			
1945							\$	\$	\$
Sept.....	211.9	277.6	265.9	242.6	215.2	157.4	37.15	37.27	35.48
Oct.....	198.3	241.5	228.7	236.6	211.6	168.2	37.67	37.57	36.45
Nov.....	197.2	229.0	217.3	228.4	215.7	176.1	37.68	37.36	36.42
Dec.....	199.0	229.3	205.1	225.8	220.6	176.8	37.16	36.90	36.66
1946									
Jan.....	198.1	212.0	211.1	273.9	227.7	181.5	32.70	33.08	30.59
Feb.....	204.3	223.6	201.8	250.6	232.2	161.7	37.36	37.18	35.76
Mar.....	210.9	223.5	194.8	250.1	233.6	153.4	36.69	37.22	35.84
April.....	222.8	222.7	194.4	237.7	233.5	147.5	37.36	37.41	35.77
May.....	220.4	221.0	196.7	247.2	233.2	150.0	36.42	36.64	34.53
June.....	213.6	221.0	199.4	247.6	232.8	146.7	35.47	36.89	33.61
July.....	211.0	222.7	202.2	255.6	229.4	143.0	36.04	37.07	35.17
Aug.....	209.0	218.5	201.6	192.6	231.4	158.0	36.12	35.60	35.10
Sept.....	216.6	219.2	206.0	193.0	232.8	186.7	36.22	36.05	35.69
Oct.....	215.3	217.1	204.6	188.6	235.4	199.0	37.02	36.69	36.71
Nov.....	218.1	223.3	212.0	252.4	238.2	197.1	37.59	38.46	36.73
Dec.....	221.8	221.4	266.0	263.9	247.5	196.1	39.19	40.94	37.19
1947									
Jan.....	217.0	218.9	216.2	286.7	258.9	188.6	36.01	37.37	33.97
Feb.....	224.3	222.4	207.2	257.7	264.1	169.3	40.10	42.64	38.84
Mar.....	227.3	221.9	201.9	255.7	260.7	161.5	40.66	43.80	39.16

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel Products								
	Per Capita Weekly Earnings			Aggregate Weekly Payrolls					
	Land Vehicles and Aircraft	Automobiles and Parts	Steel Ship-Building and Repairing	Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged Products	Machinery other than Vehicles	Land Vehicles and Aircraft	Automobiles and Parts	Steel Ship-Building and Repairing
	\$	\$	\$	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000	\$ 000
1945									
April.....	39-66	42-06	39-65	15,314	1,206	830	6,593	1,798	2,517
May.....	40-15	43-35	41-42	15,550	1,260	846	6,517	1,806	2,631
June.....	38-61	40-10	40-38	14,751	1,239	821	6,142	1,670	2,529
July.....	39-56	40-22	39-82	14,689	1,238	835	6,125	1,671	2,531
Aug.....	38-47	39-10	40-21	14,129	1,283	814	5,762	1,596	2,473
Sept.....	38-29	39-29	37-59	12,875	1,220	818	5,163	1,585	2,037
Oct.....	38-67	39-62	39-66	11,066	1,184	831	3,962	1,016	1,763
Nov.....	38-91	39-62	40-36	10,738	1,159	845	3,819	1,000	1,713
Dec.....	38-55	38-39	39-18	10,151	1,128	868	3,533	799	1,437
1946									
Jan.....	35-37	33-66	33-11	8,904	985	729	3,447	940	1,030
Feb.....	40-00	41-77	38-79	10,273	1,270	856	4,014	1,346	1,126
Mar.....	38-21	36-17	38-45	10,078	1,272	886	3,802	1,131	1,051
April.....	39-70	41-79	38-73	10,461	1,285	896	4,114	1,439	1,072
May.....	38-66	40-18	36-97	10,301	1,273	866	4,159	1,550	999
June.....	37-36	36-24	36-09	10,033	1,279	856	4,037	1,435	965
July.....	37-46	38-06	37-39	10,038	1,284	886	3,912	1,379	953
Aug.....	37-40	37-86	37-73	9,642	920	893	3,862	1,370	930
Sept.....	37-50	36-90	37-06	9,606	914	925	3,851	1,323	884
Oct.....	38-25	36-55	37-89	9,734	919	966	3,855	1,287	900
Nov.....	38-78	37-09	39-45	10,289	1,319	984	3,947	1,356	948
Dec.....	41-22	41-70	38-89	10,593	1,514	1,062	4,264	1,577	901
1947									
Jan.....	39-15	39-07	33-90	9,963	1,378	980	4,049	1,464	748
Feb.....	41-84	42-98	39-18	11,256	1,548	1,139	4,378	1,662	893
Mar.....	42-16	43-52	40-02	11,517	1,508	1,179	4,517	1,833	935

Month	Iron and Steel Production								
	Steel Wire—Short tons					Wire Fencing—Short tons			
	Total	Plain	Galvanized	Other, Coated	Barbed	Total	Woven Farm Wire	Woven Lawn Wire	Woven Chain Link Fabric
1946									
Feb.....	20,740	15,287	4,036	558	859	1,887	1,749	13	125
Mar.....	23,547	16,978	5,056	399	1,114	2,109	1,968	9	132
April.....	23,332	16,746	5,068	372	1,146	2,473	2,347	.....	126
May.....	24,280	17,414	5,250	483	1,133	2,409	2,242	11	156
June.....	22,146	15,870	4,899	409	968	2,133	1,985	19	129
July.....	16,020	11,092	4,048	252	628	1,992	1,830	28	134
Aug.....	5,295	4,017	1,077	88	113	882	783	15	84
Sept.....	3,746	3,548	176	22	.....	241	184	1	56
Oct.....	10,706	8,029	2,182	192	303	744	641	.....	103
Nov.....	21,749	16,494	4,036	394	825	1,239	1,137	.....	102
Dec.....	21,635	15,865	4,637	365	768	1,727	1,583	.....	144
1947									
Jan.....	26,349	19,159	5,931	355	904	2,323	2,122	.....	201
Feb.....	24,078	17,677	4,182	1,442	777	2,361	2,187	.....	174

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Month	Iron and Steel								
	Production of Nails, Tacks and Staples—Short Tons					Railway Loadings, Tons			
	Total	Wire Nails	Cut Nails	Wire Staples	Tacks	Iron, Pig and Bloom	Rails and Fastenings	Bar, etc.	Castings, Machinery and Boilers
1945									
Sept.....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	36,656	4,075	88,456	11,073
Oct.....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	45,961	7,990	104,902	17,404
Nov.....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	46,057	7,322	107,782	17,095
Dec.....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	39,981	11,214	109,176	18,022
1946									
Jan.....	6,804	6,394	82	126	202	38,432	25,923	89,580	13,928
Feb.....	5,990	5,531	90	154	215	35,711	24,451	90,362	13,517
Mar.....	6,096	5,614	98	162	222	57,624	24,314	110,108	20,403
April.....	6,773	6,276	74	223	200	44,493	23,696	97,664	18,553
May.....	7,265	6,730	77	224	234	50,756	19,596	109,804	15,674
June.....	6,208	5,686	90	235	197	51,108	11,588	96,467	16,628
July.....	4,453	4,123	50	146	134	22,844	6,520	72,358	13,827
Aug.....	2,430	2,148	62	33	187	11,099	3,203	31,439	13,252
Sept.....	1,937	1,640	79	64	154	10,712	3,071	33,520	10,776
Oct.....	3,331	3,000	92	58	181	30,649	2,472	81,107	14,964
Nov.....	6,486	6,002	92	193	199	47,785	11,223	95,904	14,402
Dec.....	6,120	5,764	71	107	178	57,662	5,409	87,931	13,799
1947									
Jan.....	6,681	6,318	71	100	192	76,406	16,507	99,398	13,473
Feb.....	6,446	6,015	73	206	152				

Month	Iron and Steel Products. Average Hours Worked per Week								
	Total	Crude, Rolled and Forged Products	Machinery other than Vehicles	Agricultural Implements	Land Vehicles and Aircraft				Sheet Metal Work
					Total	Railway Rolling Stock	Automobiles and Parts	Aero-planes and Parts	
1945									
Sept.....	44.3	46.9	46.2	43.0	43.0	45.0	41.4	42.7	44.3
Oct.....	45.2	46.9	47.3	44.5	43.5	44.0	42.3	44.3	45.6
Nov.....	45.6	47.3	47.7	43.1	44.4	45.2	42.1	46.1	45.3
Dec.....	45.3	46.9	47.8	42.9	44.5	45.1	41.7	46.9	44.6
1946									
Jan.....	37.1	39.7	37.9	39.2	36.8	39.5	33.1	34.2	32.2
Feb.....	44.8	46.5	47.1	42.9	44.4	45.7	41.6	47.5	43.9
Mar.....	44.2	46.1	47.0	42.5	43.0	45.6	37.0	48.9	43.9
April.....	44.9	46.5	46.6	42.9	44.5	45.1	42.6	48.1	44.0
May.....	43.4	45.0	44.2	42.9	43.1	44.9	41.4	41.8	43.0
June.....	42.0	45.4	42.3	40.1	41.9	44.2	37.5	47.6	40.1
July.....	42.7	45.6	45.0	42.4	41.6	42.9	39.5	43.2	40.4
Aug.....	43.0	42.3	44.6	41.6	42.6	44.1	41.0	41.3	42.9
Sept.....	42.3	42.0	44.4	39.1	41.4	44.0	37.3	43.9	43.0
Oct.....	42.5	42.9	45.0	41.9	40.7	42.8	37.0	44.1	43.4
Nov.....	42.3	42.6	44.5	40.7	40.8	43.3	36.8	44.1	42.3
Dec.....	43.3	45.0	44.6	42.5	42.2	43.4	40.1	44.3	42.6
1947									
Jan.....	37.7	39.3	38.3	40.7	38.3	42.1	35.1	33.9	35.0
Feb.....	43.4	45.4	44.8	42.5	42.5	43.7	40.5	44.6	42.7
Mar.....	43.7	46.4	45.1	42.9	42.3	42.6	41.3	44.6	42.9

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

Year and Month	Passenger Cars						Change in Stocks
	Production	Imports less Re- exports	Total Supply	Sales			
				Domestic	Export	Total	
1941.....	96,603	2,646	99,249	83,642	12,315	95,957	+ 3,292
1942.....	12,236	318	12,554	17,286	5,283	22,569	-10,015
1943.....	Nil	20	20	984	172	1,156	- 1,136
1944.....	Nil	30	30	N.A.	62	.....	.....
1945.....	1,868	233	2,101	N.A.	44	.....	.....
1946.....	92,456	18,636	111,092	73,052	23,455	96,507	+14,585
1946							
Jan.....	1,391	222	1,613	983	10	993	+ 620
Feb.....	2,922	295	3,217	1,581	1	1,582	+ 1,635
Mar.....	5,039	831	5,870	4,323	42	4,365	+ 1,505
April.....	9,863	848	10,711	5,829	654	6,483	+ 4,228
May.....	12,755	1,104	13,859	7,476	1,141	8,617	+ 5,242
June.....	8,739	1,065	9,804	8,153	2,992	11,145	- 1,341
July.....	9,745	1,736	11,481	7,837	5,118	12,955	- 1,474
Aug.....	7,030	1,948	8,978	5,551	4,725	10,276	- 1,298
Sept.....	6,304	2,781	9,085	6,396	3,303	9,699	- 614
Oct.....	8,552	2,898	11,450	7,102	488	7,590	+ 3,860
Nov.....	10,991	2,679	13,670	9,222	2,267	11,489	+ 2,181
Dec.....	9,125	2,229	11,354	8,599	2,714	11,313	+ 41
1947							
Jan.....	11,416	2,568	13,984	8,215	3,733	11,948	+ 2,036

AUTOMOBILES

Financing of Motor Vehicles in Canada								
Month	New Vehicles		Used Vehicles		Total Vehicles			
	Volume	Financing	Volume	Financing	Volume	Per-centage Change to Same Month of Preceding Year	Financing	Per-centage Change to Same Month of Preceding Year
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.		\$	
1945								
Aug.....	322	479,953	2,293	861,493	2,615	- 5.5	1,341,446	+ 5.2
Sept.....	324	407,383	2,172	874,347	2,496	- 3.9	1,281,730	+ 8.2
Oct.....	297	403,810	2,185	832,803	2,482	+ 6.1	1,236,613	+ 16.5
Nov.....	341	439,754	1,914	757,247	2,255	- 2.1	1,197,001	+ 13.3
Dec.....	259	373,759	1,524	621,691	1,783	+ 12.2	995,450	+ 16.6
1946								
Jan.....	455	611,464	1,994	745,343	2,449	+ 53.7	1,356,807	+ 54.3
Feb.....	861	1,019,871	2,056	825,555	2,917	+ 69.0	1,845,426	+128.3
Mar.....	1,235	1,440,618	2,857	1,124,416	4,092	+ 67.6	2,565,034	+101.4
April.....	2,295	2,534,982	3,489	1,530,533	5,784	+107.0	4,065,515	+173.1
May.....	2,333	2,702,461	2,825	1,284,436	5,158	+112.0	3,986,897	+246.4
June.....	2,208	2,630,489	2,224	956,247	4,432	+ 53.6	3,586,736	+143.2
July.....	2,350	2,810,231	2,107	978,967	4,457	+ 73.3	3,789,198	+184.7
Aug.....	2,088	2,464,676	1,937	1,016,721	4,025	+ 53.9	3,481,397	+159.5
Sept.....	1,642	2,234,764	2,248	1,094,825	3,890	+ 55.8	3,329,589	+159.8
Oct.....	2,052	2,679,179	2,433	1,209,579	4,485	+ 90.7	3,888,758	+214.5
Nov.....	2,458	3,122,211	2,493	1,209,604	4,951	+119.6	4,331,815	+261.9
Dec.....	2,437	3,101,555	2,245	1,181,519	4,682	+102.6	4,283,074	+330.3
1947								
Jan.....	2,362	3,054,050	2,319	1,245,988	4,681	+191.1	4,300,038	+216.9
Feb.....	2,764	3,711,879	3,113	1,661,194	5,877	+101.5	5,373,073	+191.2
Mar.....	3,461	4,589,046	4,530	2,379,855	7,991	+ 95.3	6,969,501	+171.7

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

NON-FERROUS METAL PRODUCTS

Month	Production				Sales of Radio Receiving Sets			
	Domestic Washing Machines			Electric Refrig- erators	Electric Standard Broadcast		Electric Short Wave	
	Electric	Gasoline	Hand		No.	\$	No.	\$
1946	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	\$	No.	\$
April.....	8,699	1,095	651	5,299	26,265	819,063	5,927	309,278
May.....	9,558	1,159	660	5,523	24,455	769,133	6,340	389,298
June.....	7,916	924	419	5,670	12,753	407,875	5,409	352,340
July.....	8,281	298	638	3,293	30,745	1,163,949	11,670	803,698
Aug.....	8,296	1,373	469	3,633	23,061	847,105	6,930	454,373
Sept.....	7,262	1,552	589	5,101	16,569	648,586	5,499	297,752
Oct.....	9,640	1,235	558	5,920	20,642	794,544	4,966	335,272
Nov.....	8,212	1,070	478	7,230	34,663	1,252,906	8,144	517,223
Dec.....	8,612	1,073	520	5,938	37,717	1,318,486	16,443	1,054,232
1947								
Jan.....	10,177	1,486	598	7,886	34,730	1,272,991	12,195	863,660
Feb.....	13,287	1,404	481	8,272				

SALES OF RADIO RECEIVING SETS

Month	Combinations Standard Broadcast		Combinations Short Wave		Battery Standard Broadcast		Portables	
							Battery	Auto- mobile
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	No.
1946								
April.....	1,341	113,395	1,049	139,418	8,157	269,668	.....	178
May.....	2,676	212,390	201	57,928	8,151	299,054	214	2,917
June.....	2,697	228,090	311	50,630	6,229	244,921	24	1,658
July.....	1,822	204,147	1,961	285,057	10,666	447,681	136	1,742
Aug.....	2,195	244,014	1,908	302,259	7,119	278,728	467	2,322
Sept.....	2,434	246,304	3,304	496,074	10,431	479,531	267	2,214
Oct.....	3,036	354,944	2,963	630,372	8,529	384,475	131	3,926
Nov.....	3,178	333,895	3,575	761,595	9,878	416,010	188	3,674
Dec.....	4,080	464,003	4,827	1,195,737	13,500	610,861	775	2,751
1947								
Jan.....	4,998	645,030	4,020	785,266	5,403	223,338	565	1,940

SALES OF ELECTRIC BATTERIES

Month	Internal Combustion		Farm Lighting Cells		Railway Service Cells		Motorcycle Batteries	
	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$	No.	\$
1946								
May.....	99,102	520,883	5,970	42,855	669	13,303	1,377	4,847
June.....	85,433	471,473	4,657	39,021	218	6,580	484	1,804
July.....	93,541	528,445	4,359	30,544	1,051	16,073	718	2,482
Aug.....	130,860	708,394	8,537	63,257	810	14,370	453	2,035
Sept.....	150,755	796,508	8,322	74,954	1,074	24,670	433	1,917
Oct.....	155,504	834,098	9,908	65,193	964	20,500	433	1,897
Nov.....	134,383	806,135	8,050	68,824	614	11,948	166	682
Dec.....	140,882	737,942	7,434	51,793	951	22,285	135	589
1947								
Jan.....	128,793	685,501	6,077	44,682	892	17,370	101	446
Feb.....	134,599	910,157	6,367	36,680	1,053	37,929	413	2,107

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

NON-FERROUS METAL PRODUCTS

Month	Exports			Imports Non-ferrous Metals		Railway Loadings		Prices Non-ferrous Metals
	Non-ferrous Metals Exclud- ing Gold	Electrical Apparatus		Total	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Other Ores and Concen- trates	Base Bullion and Matte	
		Total	Radio and Wireless					
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	Tons	Tons	1926=100
1945								
Aug.....	26,596	6,269	3,422	8,126	3,576	485,906	95,640	78-9
Sept.....	22,677	2,370	827	7,165	3,532	373,459	98,015	78-9
Oct.....	31,878	1,503	407	7,650	2,905	349,723	101,502	80-9
Nov.....	26,124	2,762	1,166	7,131	3,117	387,740	96,659	80-9
Dec.....	19,105	1,288	885	5,814	2,860	330,487	74,813	80-9
1946								
Jan.....	16,550	3,107	2,608	8,559	3,276	356,972	73,482	80-9
Feb.....	11,129	466	100	6,300	3,104	355,422	58,760	87-8
Mar.....	18,379	2,109	1,463	7,219	3,434	367,457	88,122	87-8
April.....	21,849	1,025	437	9,331	4,106	379,034	83,581	87-8
May.....	23,814	2,466	614	9,793	4,107	357,081	86,745	87-1
June.....	17,414	2,292	1,319	11,190	4,055	382,360	92,684	86-9
July.....	17,781	2,936	1,115	10,458	4,044	274,959	87,249	89-3
Aug.....	36,345	1,658	388	9,631	3,706	280,024	94,039	89-7
Sept.....	18,869	888	258	10,000	3,790	260,913	77,342	89-7
Oct.....	14,030	1,228	641	13,916	4,523	324,403	73,304	89-7
Nov.....	27,468	1,287	171	12,963	5,016	366,014	86,741	89-7
Dec.....	24,182	1,477	105	10,925	4,624	337,966	82,186	89-3
1947								
Jan.....	22,454	1,419	96	9,725	4,792	345,870	80,941	97-1
Feb.....	16,433	1,150	18	11,173	5,127			115-0
Mar.....	23,413	1,614						116-2

Month	Employment 1926=100			Per capita Weekly Earnings		Aggregate Weekly Payrolls		Average Hours per Week	
	Unadjusted		Adjusted	Non-ferrous Metal Pro- ducts	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Non-ferrous Metal Pro- ducts	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Non-ferrous Metal Pro- ducts	Electri- cal Appar- atus
	Non-ferrous Metal Pro- ducts	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Electri- cal Appar- atus						
				\$	\$	\$000	\$000	No.	No.
1945									
Aug.....	338-0	285-6	285-6	35-47	33-64	1,695	1,414	44-7	43-0
Sept.....	315-6	279-9	274-4	35-50	33-06	1,584	1,362	44-6	42-7
Oct.....	295-5	267-4	257-1	35-80	33-76	1,496	1,328	44-7	43-5
Nov.....	293-4	267-3	255-8	35-87	34-27	1,489	1,348	44-8	44-0
Dec.....	290-8	274-0	270-8	35-92	33-73	1,477	1,363	44-2	43-6
1946									
Jan.....	281-6	273-1	279-3	32-79	31-25	1,320	1,265	38-5	38-2
Feb.....	281-4	283-9	290-3	35-65	32-97	1,419	1,369	44-2	42-4
Mar.....	286-6	285-6	294-7	35-38	33-26	1,428	1,401	44-2	43-1
April.....	291-0	281-9	289-1	35-58	33-66	1,473	1,399	44-1	43-4
May.....	293-7	290-2	294-6	35-02	32-44	1,456	1,388	43-2	41-2
June.....	291-3	291-4	294-6	34-61	32-43	1,423	1,394	42-1	40-9
July.....	293-2	292-1	293-1	35-55	32-81	1,486	1,413	43-0	41-4
Aug.....	285-4	255-0	255-0	36-29	33-22	1,453	1,264	43-6	42-7
Sept.....	287-5	268-1	262-8	35-86	33-47	1,492	1,323	43-5	41-9
Oct.....	285-2	270-1	259-7	36-54	33-76	1,499	1,356	43-8	41-1
Nov.....	288-5	305-1	292-9	36-73	33-40	1,540	1,395	43-3	40-7
Dec.....	304-1	317-0	313-2	37-90	35-69	1,664	1,685	43-8	41-5
1947									
Jan.....	307-8	321-7	330-5	36-37	34-56	1,623	1,658	39-9	38-4
Feb.....	316-4	331-3	335-9	38-27	36-12	1,749	1,754	43-8	41-3
Mar.....	320-6	335-3	340-0	38-32	36-67	1,780	1,818	43-9	41-2

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

PRODUCTION OF NON-METALLIC MINERALS

Month	Aviation Gasoline	Motor Gasoline	Tractor Distillate	Kerosene and Stove Oil	Light Fuel Oils	Heavy Fuel Oils	Asphalt	Coke
			In Barrels					
1946								
May.....	19,485	2,882,581	195,384	281,320	838,392	1,464,650	229,740	37,727
June.....	21,724	2,492,130	140,966	178,696	777,244	1,331,789	277,483	6,840
July.....	21,933	2,822,135	170,231	223,171	867,567	1,248,147	385,069	33,701
Aug.....	27,536	2,980,704	193,127	215,237	911,979	1,271,459	421,237	31,104
Sept.....	17,827	3,061,981	132,128	252,027	1,011,627	1,399,365	302,365	34,809
Oct.....	41,739	3,174,922	66,784	244,325	1,010,917	1,497,686	244,769	28,343
Nov.....	26,144	2,827,055	37,146	263,614	832,656	1,347,140	197,229	25,378
Dec.....	10,155	2,615,778	32,244	360,010	834,725	1,322,164	119,921	30,577
1947								
Jan.....	42,839	2,137,258	33,405	296,948	940,325	1,167,804	132,434	16,924
Feb.....	21,112	2,127,903	32,414	461,867	814,924	958,795	129,319	33,444

Month	Petroleum Products in Barrels				Refinery Inventories in Barrels		
	Lubricating Oils	Grease	Wax and Candles	Polymer Feed Stocks	Motor Gasoline	Kerosene Distillate	Light Fuel Oils
1946							
May.....	138,592	8,010	9,370	66,729	5,143,054	224,665	632,632
June.....	162,341	7,003	3,125	28,221	4,836,659	241,025	852,807
July.....	166,611	7,773	7,546	46,513	4,409,803	321,849	1,117,223
Aug.....	126,225	7,168	8,244	48,255	3,633,774	440,307	1,449,576
Sept.....	130,064	8,773	6,534	38,280	3,210,500	528,968	1,716,137
Oct.....	133,049	8,154	13,700	39,362	3,109,725	535,923	2,023,298
Nov.....	157,505	7,859	10,831	45,716	2,985,471	572,935	2,103,794
Dec.....	161,016	5,290	19,363	34,537	3,056,894	574,425	1,790,019
1947							
Jan.....	130,041	7,005	10,702	38,097	3,754,386	430,063	1,276,053
Feb.....	135,086	6,500	12,657	30,546	4,465,843	207,260	974,210

Month	Refinery Inventories in Barrels			Asphalt Roofing				
	Heavy Fuel Oils	Asphalt	Lubricating Oils	Asphalt 210 lbs.	Shingles Other	Smooth Surfaced Rolls	Mineral Surfaced Rolls	Tar and Asphalt Felts
1946				Squares	Squares	Squares	Squares	Tons
May.....	2,095,075	499,848	219,197	122,368	73,567	108,890	123,927	3,902
June.....	2,072,614	505,872	205,079	100,898	52,891	121,231	127,867	3,537
July.....	2,272,630	420,156	221,429	116,268	61,438	121,199	113,566	3,532
Aug.....	2,153,021	336,769	216,615	120,502	56,719	132,170	138,769	4,157
Sept.....	2,090,178	316,354	172,042	133,153	72,755	137,594	118,491	3,372
Oct.....	2,086,096	278,137	143,479	146,852	72,697	157,804	127,531	3,244
Nov.....	2,092,773	263,154	138,535	138,870	70,540	177,008	106,375	2,788
Dec.....	2,035,977	323,457	128,572	117,008	55,284	175,085	100,097	2,871
1947								
Jan.....	2,067,073	339,665	167,935	125,078	53,027	168,075	87,568	3,216
Feb.....	2,113,162	362,051	178,095	115,020	72,398	173,943	94,123	2,913
Mar.....	1,774,157	387,878	191,035	125,093	53,221	200,840	170,170	3,349

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS

Month	Production Asphalt Roofing		Non-Metallic Minerals— Sales of Manufactured Gas					
	Tar and Asphalt Kraft Base	Sheathing Other Base	Total		Domestic Use		House Heating	
	Tons	Tons	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$
1946								
May.....	487	519	2,084,816	1,948,035	1,226,097	1,327,083	122,324	69,997
June.....	456	572	1,920,857	1,834,644	1,167,876	1,276,227	74,630	49,331
July.....	574	393	1,768,809	1,702,584	1,072,718	1,197,409	27,826	20,421
Aug.....	640	379	1,678,776	1,610,812	992,292	1,126,179	20,700	15,012
Sept.....	876	600	1,809,318	1,762,402	1,100,450	1,245,733	28,260	21,319
Oct.....	790	635	1,981,300	1,882,096	1,183,933	1,304,040	73,687	50,118
Nov.....	563	438	2,130,494	1,992,587	1,233,239	1,330,773	135,214	78,258
Dec.....	561	1,104	2,208,831	1,970,773	1,207,113	1,256,991	220,352	118,946
1947								
Jan.....	433	355	2,409,090	2,124,128	1,262,906	1,322,643	339,916	177,491
Feb.....	428	382	2,315,827	2,027,055	1,200,699	1,252,242	319,591	167,634
Mar.....	408	399						

Month	Industrial Use		Manufactured Gas Sales				Sales of Domestic Clay Products Building Brick	
			Commercial Use		Miscellaneous		M.	\$
	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$	M. cu. ft.	\$		
1946								
May.....	391,575	241,725	343,635	305,119	1,185	4,111	21,347	523,303
June.....	355,215	218,430	321,949	286,479	1,187	4,177	23,341	580,208
July.....	362,914	204,867	304,861	275,927	990	3,960	27,356	676,868
Aug.....	373,816	207,322	288,064	258,327	3,904	3,972	28,171	691,092
Sept.....	361,865	207,593	314,656	283,505	4,267	4,252	26,131	647,186
Oct.....	392,910	233,262	326,559	290,536	4,211	4,140	28,579	701,468
Nov.....	401,716	259,613	355,979	319,915	4,346	4,028	26,447	633,869
Dec.....	405,808	271,130	371,214	319,706	4,344	4,000	19,040	469,544
1947								
Jan.....	390,406	261,860	395,037	345,306	20,825	16,828		
Feb.....	407,585	265,947	383,883	337,341	4,069	3,891		

SALES OF DOMESTIC CLAY PRODUCTS

Month	Structural Tile		Drain Tile		Sewer Pipe	Fire Clay Blocks and Shapes	Pottery	Other Clay Products
	Tons	\$	M	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1946								
April.....	10,250	111,298	612	22,313	115,683	13,489	97,996	47,741
May.....	13,968	154,911	1,187	45,089	115,063	15,723	103,676	51,651
June.....	12,470	138,725	1,503	55,988	112,984	14,741	74,867	44,003
July.....	15,000	170,567	1,586	59,971	135,528	18,011	112,459	48,537
Aug.....	13,161	150,931	1,664	62,600	111,141	24,209	86,541	54,387
Sept.....	11,351	124,767	1,595	61,383	109,935	20,065	96,480	52,321
Oct.....	12,156	140,042	1,929	75,085	121,284	22,117	116,263	54,876
Nov.....	11,788	134,543	1,274	51,401	122,626	29,189	112,587	43,185
Dec.....	9,079	108,366	1,240	47,369	93,109	14,023	81,176	53,914

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued

NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS

Month	Railway Loadings			Employment			Per Capita Weekly Earnings		Average Hours Per Week
	Brick and Artificial Stone	Sewer Pipe and Drain Tile	Lime and Plaster	Unadjusted		Adjusted Clay Glass and Stone	Non-Metallic Mineral Products	Clay Glass and Stone Products	
				Non-Metallic Mineral Products	Clay Glass and Stone				
	Tons	Tons	Tons	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	\$	\$	No.
1945									
Sept.....	28,050	7,508	33,820	223.2	145.5	131.4	39.01	31.03	45.3
Oct.....	28,072	7,267	37,857	217.0	145.6	133.2	38.75	31.43	45.0
Nov.....	25,071	5,176	33,899	215.7	150.1	142.7	38.49	31.52	44.7
Dec.....	22,143	4,059	31,747	214.8	151.8	154.7	38.43	31.39	44.5
1946									
Jan.....	22,054	2,154	33,200	213.2	150.8	171.2	37.16	28.59	41.2
Feb.....	19,281	2,980	31,426	214.2	154.8	180.6	38.31	30.99	44.1
Mar.....	24,250	4,484	38,046	214.7	154.9	181.6	38.41	31.28	44.2
April.....	32,417	5,307	42,618	217.0	160.3	180.5	38.68	31.36	43.8
May.....	29,916	4,511	46,792	217.4	162.9	164.0	38.35	31.52	42.9
June.....	29,335	5,336	40,551	225.1	167.2	155.8	37.79	31.23	41.7
July.....	36,935	6,577	41,012	227.6	172.9	156.2	38.99	31.33	42.4
Aug.....	38,614	6,442	39,985	213.1	170.5	156.3	39.39	31.55	41.3
Sept.....	34,724	5,970	36,774	220.2	163.9	147.7	39.11	31.82	41.2
Oct.....	38,555	5,800	40,578	212.0	160.2	146.6	39.21	33.00	41.5
Nov.....	33,748	4,664	42,177	209.8	164.3	156.2	39.43	33.58	41.8
Dec.....	28,338	4,129	39,469	206.7	173.0	156.1	39.91	34.00	42.5
1947									
Jan.....	27,606	2,893	40,457	204.9	171.9	195.1	40.71	31.92	40.7
Feb.....				207.5	179.1	209.0	41.62	34.83	42.6
Mar.....				210.4	178.8	209.6	42.46	35.46	43.3

Month	Imports					Exports			
	Total	Clay Products	Coke		Glass and Glass-ware	Stone and Products	Total	Stone	Petroleum Products
			Tons	\$000					
1945	\$000	\$000	Tons	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Sept.....	24,304	995	148,092	1,145	1,202	883	5,513	1,195	1,237
Oct.....	27,748	1,227	126,537	1,074	1,572	998	5,430	1,206	1,544
Nov.....	22,840	885	107,720	840	1,282	830	4,123	1,019	415
Dec.....	20,630	1,436	112,155	936	1,319	613	3,899	1,007	622
1946									
Jan.....	22,827	1,477	116,155	982	1,527	731	3,662	994	309
Feb.....	19,674	1,075	122,806	1,123	1,384	654	2,990	723	189
Mar.....	22,236	1,409	114,352	1,034	1,778	767	3,817	1,067	148
April.....	24,347	1,602	78,445	740	1,888	1,215	3,856	1,286	75
May.....	24,464	1,488	69,729	762	1,865	1,182	4,809	1,296	338
June.....	23,776	1,628	89,962	766	1,725	1,292	4,967	1,232	217
July.....	28,044	1,529	112,107	926	1,861	1,413	5,825	1,404	667
Aug.....	33,630	1,298	101,933	988	1,739	1,450	5,836	1,415	613
Sept.....	33,140	1,258	100,388	1,005	2,201	1,349	5,122	1,484	285
Oct.....	37,905	1,601	97,118	985	2,480	1,572	5,337	1,503	671
Nov.....	34,742	1,949	84,598	972	2,725	2,119	5,727	1,604	616
Dec.....	27,828	1,511	49,612	604	2,084	933	5,661	1,576	495
1947									
Jan.....	26,604	1,676	66,667	811	2,145	1,434	5,470	1,356	745
Feb.....	25,198	1,411	37,771	461	2,008	904	4,270	1,370	249
Mar.....							5,428		437

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Continued.

Month	NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS					CHEMICALS		
	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls		Price Indexes			Employment	Per Capita Weekly Earnings	Aggregate Weekly Payrolls
	Non-metallic Mineral Products	Clay, Glass and Stone Products	Non-metallics Total	Clay and Allied Material Products	Coke			
	\$000	\$000	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	1926=100	\$	\$000
1945								
Sept.....	664	517	101.4	103.2	123.2	389.9	35.08	1,757
Oct.....	641	525	101.5	103.2	123.2	363.6	34.79	1,632
Nov.....	633	542	101.7	109.1	123.2	354.4	34.49	1,570
Dec.....	629	546	102.4	109.1	123.2	342.6	34.53	1,530
1946								
Jan.....	604	494	102.4	109.1	123.2	332.1	33.48	1,428
Feb.....	626	549	102.4	109.1	123.4	324.0	34.89	1,452
Mar.....	630	554	102.2	108.8	123.4	323.5	34.84	1,450
April.....	640	576	103.0	109.1	123.4	327.2	34.94	1,460
May.....	636	588	103.0	109.1	123.4	323.8	34.42	1,418
June.....	653	593	102.7	109.1	123.4	325.6	34.39	1,432
July.....	670	625	102.6	109.1	123.4	325.0	35.01	1,456
Aug.....	629	635	102.6	109.1	123.4	317.3	34.93	1,418
Sept.....	632	601	102.6	109.1	123.4	317.2	35.16	1,427
Oct.....	632	604	103.8	109.1	123.4	315.6	35.60	1,443
Nov.....	631	632	104.0	109.1	123.4	328.3	35.24	1,542
Dec.....	652	673	104.7	118.0	123.4	331.2	36.30	1,542
1947								
Jan.....	642	632	105.6	124.8	123.9	324.6	35.91	1,520
Feb.....	638	719	106.3	124.8	123.9	328.5	37.49	1,561
Mar.....	660	730	106.3	124.8	123.9	327.5	38.07	1,584

IMPORTS OF CHEMICALS, \$000

Month	Total	Cellulose Products	Drugs and Medicines	Dyeing and Tanning Materials	Fertilizers	Paints and Varnishes	Inorganic Chemicals Total	Soda and Compounds
1945								
Aug.....	5,675	318	854	642	269	616	732	293
Sept.....	6,596	451	721	639	331	684	1,222	269
Oct.....	7,729	475	825	692	463	783	1,354	389
Nov.....	6,757	500	753	854	441	725	983	305
Dec.....	6,635	445	682	832	344	723	990	330
1946								
Jan.....	7,329	413	857	789	486	854	957	389
Feb.....	6,665	515	675	612	365	787	766	315
Mar.....	7,558	537	729	700	320	846	977	456
April.....	8,937	605	980	794	506	914	1,180	464
May.....	8,805	601	872	962	470	952	1,164	477
June.....	7,507	618	925	812	175	838	1,082	362
July.....	7,652	599	869	792	252	700	976	379
Aug.....	7,093	453	673	873	335	601	1,121	467
Sept.....	6,756	526	584	704	364	567	1,045	400
Oct.....	8,024	482	747	686	362	679	1,286	542
Nov.....	8,735	676	775	771	528	828	1,078	529
Dec.....	7,811	501	687	712	399	869	930	479
1947								
Jan.....	7,907	469	861	742	293	926	839	382
Feb.....	8,466	567	1,113	725	343	922	874	496

10. MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS—Concluded

CHEMICALS

Month	Exports, \$000				Railway Loadings, Fertilizers	Sales of Paints, Varnishes, Lacquers
	Total	Acids	Fertilizers	Soda Compounds		
					Tons	\$
1945						
Sept.....	6,846	182	2,550	293	133,580	.....
Oct.....	7,617	111	2,681	226	160,156	.....
Nov.....	6,123	64	3,051	268	164,525	.....
Dec.....	5,866	140	3,259	366	143,336	.....
1946						
Jan.....	5,530	200	2,845	439	161,016	3,844,843
Feb.....	5,286	148	3,006	228	159,614	3,970,378
Mar.....	5,634	138	3,141	261	231,226	4,680,798
April.....	5,577	165	2,536	363	224,047	5,484,554
May.....	5,826	219	2,418	424	205,305	5,922,712
June.....	5,155	128	2,370	334	127,775	5,482,586
July.....	5,911	183	2,464	440	84,297	4,965,209
Aug.....	6,605	210	2,849	396	129,819	4,899,623
Sept.....	5,261	203	2,703	361	169,166	4,573,048
Oct.....	5,780	141	2,907	429	165,688	5,219,686
Nov.....	5,402	110	2,486	331	143,159	4,714,725
Dec.....	5,620	213	2,383	409	135,381	3,968,551
1947						
Jan.....	6,671	268	3,147	384	140,208	4,753,071
Feb.....	5,053	273	2,216	408	.....	5,378,839
Mar.....	7,378	285	3,603	516	.....	.....

Month	Average Hours Worked per Week		Price Indexes of Chemicals, 1926=100				
	Chemicals and Allied Products		Total	Inorganic Chemicals	Organic Chemicals	Dyeing and Tanning Materials	Drugs
	Total	Drugs and Medicines					
1945							
Aug.....	45.5	42.2	99.1	87.8	87.4	144.7	162.6
Sept.....	44.7	41.7	99.2	87.8	87.4	144.7	163.8
Oct.....	45.2	42.9	99.1	87.8	87.4	144.7	162.6
Nov.....	44.9	42.7	98.8	87.8	87.4	139.3	162.6
Dec.....	44.6	42.8	98.4	87.8	87.3	139.3	160.1
1946							
Jan.....	41.3	39.7	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
Feb.....	44.4	41.9	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
Mar.....	44.2	42.3	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
April.....	44.5	42.9	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
May.....	42.9	42.0	95.7	87.4	87.3	139.3	141.9
June.....	42.5	41.8	94.5	87.5	90.7	139.3	132.2
July.....	43.3	43.3	94.4	87.5	90.7	137.2	132.2
Aug.....	42.9	42.0	94.4	87.5	90.7	137.2	132.2
Sept.....	43.5	42.1	94.4	87.5	90.7	137.2	132.2
Oct.....	43.6	42.2	94.7	87.4	94.3	137.2	132.2
Nov.....	42.8	41.8	95.3	87.4	94.3	137.2	132.2
Dec.....	43.8	42.4	95.3	87.6	94.3	137.2	123.9
1947							
Jan.....	41.0	40.9	98.2	87.9	94.6	137.2	123.9
Feb.....	43.3	42.0	103.8	87.9	102.6	138.4	125.7
Mar.....	43.5	41.8	103.8	87.9	102.6	138.4	125.7

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11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000

Month	Canada	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Colum- bia
1945										
Sept...	42,045	119	1,158	1,079	13,438	14,726	1,818	1,848	4,798	3,066
Oct...	29,428	39	2,250	1,054	10,308	9,679	1,015	1,964	2,170	949
Nov...	44,998	80	840	1,054	12,531	19,058	1,260	1,024	3,587	5,564
Dec...	25,787	21	373	621	9,356	9,358	1,300	675	794	3,290
1946										
Jan...	27,396	.....	199	1,317	12,446	8,984	332	264	901	2,953
Feb...	33,092	375	286	65	5,501	19,107	826	435	949	5,549
Mar...	57,598	.....	228	3,108	26,450	15,683	4,224	385	3,988	3,532
April...	75,919	57	1,674	1,574	20,508	38,082	2,031	3,592	5,721	2,681
May...	82,199	84	1,150	1,658	22,801	29,968	4,202	2,941	4,764	14,632
June...	66,402	100	969	6,341	15,465	26,686	2,046	2,302	3,702	8,792
July...	67,673	.....	1,574	1,644	15,934	32,909	2,634	3,545	4,852	4,581
Aug...	50,414	.....	835	1,147	22,552	14,751	3,233	1,884	2,449	3,563
Sept...	44,816	.....	994	1,159	20,440	11,816	1,548	1,350	4,473	3,096
Oct...	73,308	14	2,690	1,170	38,648	22,747	2,682	1,207	1,844	2,306
Nov...	48,004	5	2,000	5,308	13,163	18,533	1,170	1,268	2,268	4,288
Dec...	36,535	16	890	2,208	12,900	13,523	814	326	3,063	2,796
1947										
Jan...	44,711	270	2,173	5,113	11,047	19,144	2,725	1,265	476	2,499
Feb...	53,451	553	438	2,114	31,458	11,790	1,178	364	1,409	4,148
Mar...	38,353	15	704	3,626	10,709	15,329	1,166	497	1,405	4,903

Month	Residential			Business				
	Total	Apart- ments	Resi- dences	Total	Churches	Public Garages	Hos- pitals	Hotels and Clubs
1945								
Sept.....	19,495	445	10,050	8,073	439	284	1,146	297
Oct.....	15,188	559	14,629	5,718	316	287	296	161
Nov.....	16,560	482	16,078	8,773	222	642	3,300	285
Dec.....	8,286	190	8,096	5,473	69	491	1,238	153
1946								
Jan.....	4,795	821	3,974	9,190	209	588	2,650	1,399
Feb.....	9,311	364	8,947	8,132	482	847	1,417	308
Mar.....	15,737	589	15,148	15,154	966	814	1,500	388
April.....	26,876	2,686	24,191	24,145	1,407	1,666	6,127	3,416
May.....	32,208	2,405	29,803	22,267	1,755	2,076	2,792	1,355
June.....	22,646	609	22,037	15,224	1,345	1,497	337	1,884
July.....	21,076	1,847	19,229	19,706	1,043	1,672	740	1,772
Aug.....	19,180	3,073	16,107	14,828	1,753	850	398	1,143
Sept.....	13,542	2,430	11,112	16,377	1,541	2,534	1,320	1,411
Oct.....	21,504	1,956	19,548	15,673	1,979	1,403	2,808	903
Nov.....	15,998	1,048	14,951	15,784	485	2,018	3,273	1,487
Dec.....	10,177	1,173	9,005	10,125	1,462	896	503	607
1947								
Jan.....	5,105	197	4,909	18,029	1,173	1,288	513	758
Feb.....	7,420	962	6,458	17,406	619	866	2,627	1,045
Mar.....	6,516	197	6,319	15,286	978	1,501	124	1,376

III. Construction—Continued

11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000—Continued

Month	Business						Industrial	Engineering
	Office Buildings	Public Buildings	Schools	Stores	Theatres	Warehouses	Total	Total
1945								
Sept.....	742	969	2,568	458	5	1,166	9,586	4,892
Oct.....	986	750	1,660	279	33	952	4,629	3,892
Nov.....	336	318	1,788	656	21	1,206	6,606	13,059
Dec.....	373	537	166	831	22	1,594	8,773	3,255
1946								
Jan.....	955	210	496	1,472	192	1,021	9,275	4,135
Feb.....	595	187	977	2,036	83	1,202	4,230	11,419
Mar.....	4,852	175	1,253	3,572	414	1,221	21,486	5,220
April.....	1,034	479	1,885	4,011	1,045	3,076	18,844	6,054
May.....	2,222	113	3,705	3,520	740	3,989	18,357	9,368
June.....	1,366	503	1,506	3,823	1,137	1,826	9,270	19,262
July.....	1,706	350	6,652	2,052	1,381	2,339	5,691	21,200
Aug.....	3,241	847	1,550	2,391	788	1,868	7,565	8,841
Sept.....	648	405	697	2,012	423	5,386	10,393	4,506
Oct.....	657	1,706	1,886	1,756	239	2,536	16,916	19,015
Nov.....	1,031	1,068	1,585	1,462	1,718	1,658	10,727	5,495
Dec.....	606	1,369	828	1,166	762	1,927	5,574	10,659
1947								
Jan.....	7,101	140	3,657	1,167	1,326	906	6,218	15,358
Feb.....	5,067	719	2,768	2,906	30	759	8,049	20,586
Mar.....	913	2,783	2,292	2,229	780	2,310	10,651	5,901

Month	Engineering					Prince Edward Island			
	Bridges	Dams and Wharves	Sewers and Water Mains	Roads and Streets	General Engineer- ing	Resi- dential	Business	Indus- trial	Engineer- ing
1945									
Sept...	204	41	941	1,869	1,838	19	100		
Oct...	64	480	972	858	1,518	22	17		
Nov...	113	40	462	3,932	8,513	18	41	21	
Dec...	5	42	470	1,540	1,199	5	16		
1946									
Jan.....		349	194	107	3,485				
Feb.....	107	678	1,022	518	9,094				375
Mar.....	95	150	370	2,679	1,927				
April...	440	109	1,156	2,740	1,611	6			51
May...	64	285	1,687	5,944	1,387	4	55		25
June...	3,575	70	999	9,572	5,046		100		
July....	463	860	1,076	17,551	1,250				
Aug....	47	129	833	7,006	824				
Sept....	241	655	532	2,438	640				
Oct....	141	592	1,518	4,889	11,874				14
Nov....	108	501	913	1,889	2,804		2	3	5
Dec....		6,003	2,845	1,607	204				16
1947									
Jan.....	297	4,677	900	2,263	7,221		175	95	
Feb.....	32	475	1,252	371	18,478			500	53
Mar.....	621	1,575	1,631	1,363	711		5	10	

III. Construction—Continued

11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000—Continued

Month	Nova Scotia				New Brunswick			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
1945								
Sept.....	447	432	75	203	301	561	182	33
Oct.....	1,882	230	19	120	256	671	97	30
Nov.....	300	399	133	8	293	605	88	68
Dec.....	132	159	25	57	234	80	286	21
1946								
Jan.....	42	87	70	.....	53	827	438	.....
Feb.....	5	28	5	248	27	38	.....	.....
Mar.....	72	36	.....	120	2,440	40	605	24
April.....	153	28	855	638	929	313	131	202
May.....	332	534	28	256	786	677	108	88
June.....	242	458	12	257	1,258	542	1,557	2,984
July.....	153	724	205	493	303	990	289	62
Aug.....	170	549	42	74	326	664	53	105
Sept.....	269	325	48	353	587	115	84	374
Oct.....	484	763	316	1,127	707	206	18	239
Nov.....	1,019	391	26	564	606	646	4,019	38
Dec.....	171	256	64	400	67	131	10	2,000
1947								
Jan.....	164	205	1,015	789	77	605	292	4,139
Feb.....	103	311	10	14	30	33	52	2,000
Mar.....	67	242	20	375	34	888	2,527	177

Month	Quebec				Ontario			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
1945								
Sept.....	5,976	2,637	3,888	917	7,978	1,457	3,497	1,795
Oct.....	3,857	2,351	1,825	2,275	4,773	1,690	2,376	840
Nov.....	3,407	4,346	2,946	1,831	6,190	1,874	2,831	8,164
Dec.....	1,944	1,451	4,439	1,522	4,531	1,357	2,755	715
1946								
Jan.....	1,492	2,404	5,580	2,970	2,409	3,598	2,633	344
Feb.....	1,828	2,386	1,248	39	3,656	4,060	2,567	8,824
Mar.....	2,316	5,389	18,377	368	5,682	7,125	1,558	1,318
April.....	8,289	9,278	2,464	478	11,140	9,424	14,754	2,763
May.....	7,405	7,712	6,704	980	13,841	6,960	3,550	5,617
June.....	4,391	5,100	2,385	3,589	10,997	4,611	4,664	6,414
July.....	5,514	4,549	2,943	2,929	9,149	10,727	1,970	11,064
Aug.....	6,835	6,093	3,184	6,440	5,397	5,141	3,012	1,201
Sept.....	4,615	9,664	4,229	1,931	4,149	3,877	3,271	519
Oct.....	9,165	6,775	9,916	12,793	6,135	6,006	6,300	4,306
Nov.....	3,423	5,898	2,703	1,139	7,220	6,025	3,535	1,754
Dec.....	3,725	3,855	1,029	4,292	4,541	4,556	4,151	274
1947								
Jan.....	1,841	3,865	791	4,550	2,290	10,718	3,849	3,287
Feb.....	3,109	10,301	2,706	15,342	2,498	4,234	3,988	1,069
Mar.....	1,877	4,472	3,145	1,216	2,959	5,783	4,610	1,978

III. Construction—Continued

11. CONTRACTS AWARDED, \$000—Continued

Month	Manitoba				Saskatchewan			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
1945								
Sept.....	1,243	435	45	95	495	1,132	75	145
Oct.....	849	124	34	9	1,841	96	26	.....
Nov.....	964	206	87	3	718	228	68	10
Dec.....	511	432	250	107	414	181	80	.....
1946								
Jan.....	104	153	.....	75	107	130	28	.....
Feb.....	500	210	37	78	107	173	.....	155
Mar.....	2,501	273	67	1,384	152	220	13	.....
April.....	1,073	680	103	176	1,227	2,259	51	54
May.....	2,960	723	353	167	1,664	818	61	397
June.....	1,069	708	112	157	1,461	460	71	310
July.....	835	525	87	1,188	1,881	439	9	1,216
Aug.....	2,013	473	93	655	1,241	540	31	72
Sept.....	609	631	30	278	699	311	25	315
Oct.....	2,090	364	65	164	678	386	128	16
Nov.....	670	279	144	76	446	710	36	76
Dec.....	443	172	83	116	106	177	43	.....
1947								
Jan.....	112	397	124	2,093	15	183	8	1,059
Feb.....	164	191	581	242	56	191	23	94
Mar.....	179	669	106	211	82	415	.....	.....

Month	Alberta				British Columbia			
	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering	Residential	Business	Industrial	Engineering
1945								
Sept.....	2,531	649	191	1,428	505	652	1,634	275
Oct.....	1,332	303	56	479	376	237	196	140
Nov.....	2,768	642	150	27	1,901	431	283	2,949
Dec.....	349	353	88	5	168	1,446	849	828
1946								
Jan.....	214	292	335	60	375	1,701	193	685
Feb.....	414	414	66	56	2,774	824	307	1,644
Mar.....	1,233	979	73	1,702	1,342	1,093	794	304
April.....	2,742	1,396	137	1,446	1,317	768	350	247
May.....	3,084	1,306	143	231	2,134	3,481	7,411	1,607
June.....	2,310	1,064	223	105	919	2,180	246	5,447
July.....	1,148	977	72	2,655	2,094	776	117	1,593
Aug.....	1,447	749	64	189	1,752	620	1,087	106
Sept.....	873	675	2,582	344	1,740	779	125	393
Oct.....	872	827	58	88	1,374	548	116	269
Nov.....	1,519	585	97	68	1,096	1,247	166	1,779
Dec.....	386	515	27	2,135	739	464	168	1,425
1947								
Jan.....	189	120	45	122	418	1,762	.....	319
Feb.....	329	615	40	426	1,130	1,529	142	1,346
Mar.....	438	811	31	125	881	2,000	203	1,819

Source: McLean Building Reports Ltd., Toronto

III. Construction—Continued

12. BUILDING PERMITS, \$000

Month	Canada	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brun- swick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Col- umbia
1945										
Sept....	20,038	317	427	253	5,257	6,354	884	580	2,390	3,574
Oct....	19,643	32	382	436	4,620	7,554	1,169	428	2,870	2,150
Nov....	18,284	14	376	107	4,130	8,453	1,550	559	570	2,524
Dec....	15,321	15	148	31	3,928	5,417	895	1,266	727	2,894
1946										
Jan....	15,252	4	156	277	2,878	5,341	1,017	155	1,403	4,022
Feb....	16,563	5	173	85	5,903	5,021	349	242	855	3,930
Mar....	39,567	1	406	671	12,835	14,869	1,160	920	3,706	5,000
April....	55,408	6	951	732	15,068	20,696	3,115	4,210	5,321	5,302
May....	45,324	31	1,340	652	12,960	16,530	3,102	2,238	4,901	3,670
June....	31,172	138	1,148	771	7,464	12,261	1,079	2,655	3,373	2,282
July....	33,107	14	706	1,303	10,560	13,335	965	986	1,918	3,321
Aug....	30,942	1	800	409	8,785	11,790	1,344	1,973	1,666	4,174
Sept....	29,047	230	448	206	9,470	11,239	1,112	1,492	1,445	3,405
Oct....	33,611	7	363	642	9,984	14,166	1,016	1,328	3,545	2,558
Nov....	24,225	14	495	603	8,393	9,541	737	532	658	3,252
Dec....	23,761	2	296	63	4,839	12,886	1,313	891	1,181	2,290
1947										
Jan....	16,641	51	260	128	5,164	6,756	396	99	478	3,300
Feb....	17,598	.....	191	182	3,595	6,614	1,723	704	785	3,804

Month	Char- lotte- town	Dart- mouth	Halifax	Sydney	Freder- icton	Moncton	Saint John	Chicou- timi
1945								
Sept.....	317	.....	238	41	34	138	66	48
Oct.....	32	31	149	49	24	47	351	29
Nov.....	14	40	166	41	.....	10	89	10
Dec.....	15	16	64	25	.....	4	26	.....
1946								
Jan.....	4	10	106	8	208	30	38	3
Feb.....	5	21	67	7	25	17	14	53
Mar.....	1	32	147	81	62	107	463	29
April.....	6	41	192	304	223	304	57	280
May.....	31	131	548	258	249	152	140	213
June.....	138	119	500	96	72	537	88	21
July.....	14	49	331	159	1,101	99	62	44
Aug.....	1	90	460	37	65	122	100	172
Sept.....	230	28	214	78	42	93	42	110
Oct.....	7	45	89	41	69	488	34	11
Nov.....	14	25	242	9	503	60	21	12
Dec.....	2	47	107	84	14	28	18	26
1947								
Jan.....	51	35	148	12	33	57	29	30
Feb.....	.....	.....	56	20	10	35	133	125

III. Construction—Continued

12. BUILDING PERMITS, \$000—Continued

Month	Hull	Lachine	Montreal and Maison- neuve	Quebec	Shaw- inigan	Sher- brooke	Three Rivers	Verdun
1945								
Sept.....	58	235	1,786	400	34	104	113	245
Oct.....	27	80	1,725	508	67	94	46	356
Nov.....	15	23	1,649	1,096	27	63	302	94
Dec.....	4	33	1,517	66	2	284	49	120
1946								
Jan.....	6	57	1,699	310	74	113	27	85
Feb.....	13	50	1,751	293	93	70	25	12
Mar.....	64	492	6,943	836	74	468	73	309
April.....	149	347	8,313	454	344	202	146	382
May.....	121	420	6,646	544	280	300	119	361
June.....	102	155	3,429	574	107	.....	152	193
July.....	98	3,048	3,154	552	157	104	691	304
Aug.....	62	563	3,944	1,026	53	244	74	404
Sept.....	40	272	3,669	304	50	338	1,116	150
Oct.....	195	189	5,833	565	31	88	415	171
Nov.....	52	81	5,239	227	91	140	23	69
Dec.....	4	46	3,026	378	103	35	21	21
1947								
Jan.....	24	27	1,756	178	2,546	155	24	14
Feb.....	32	7	2,046	313	16	126	44	78

Month	West- mount	Brant- ford	Chatham	Etobi- coke Twp.	Fort William	Hamil- ton	Kingston	Kitch- ener
1945								
Sept.....	8	46	98	344	131	373	76	91
Oct.....	20	65	84	513	63	462	139	548
Nov.....	5	123	66	571	65	606	190	65
Dec.....	7	37	94	124	15	411	46	43
1946								
Jan.....	71	19	92	281	163	255	116	181
Feb.....	69	20	58	255	31	243	74	159
Mar.....	178	295	256	1,643	106	625	198	230
April.....	209	270	332	1,047	379	1,451	444	477
May.....	78	193	1,597	953	449	478	238	316
June.....	168	76	92	494	277	334	.....	91
July.....	114	34	693	827	516	402	156	106
Aug.....	20	55	71	527	165	583	470	79
Sept.....	30	26	69	752	83	445	224	535
Oct.....	18	433	228	707	105	521	103	409
Nov.....	42	117	22	663	458	643	371	78
Dec.....	18	94	128	1,776	8	386	202	89
1947								
Jan.....	26	25	26	295	24	462	60	38
Feb.....	1	.....	53	241	65	289	44	229

III. Construction—Continued

12. BUILDING PERMITS, \$000—Continued

Month	London	Ottawa	Port Arthur	Sault Ste. Marie	Scar-boro	St. Catharines	Toronto	York Township	York Twp. East
1945									
Aug....	138	185	186	73	458	120	938	207	210
Sept....	93	187	69	79	718	68	587	162	220
Oct....	134	287	134	67	292	54	986	258	403
Nov....	177	345	30	22	305	36	1,406	126	187
Dec....	358	194	276	21	98	72	1,721	183	140
1946									
Jan.....	255	49	16	5	184	70	830	457	110
Feb.....	169	232	17	41	205	72	891	343	284
Mar.....	454	1,244	78	74	346	405	1,423	660	432
April....	578	1,134	399	724	651	371	1,743	825	464
May....	723	583	558	113	814	146	1,530	677	712
June....	169	310	309	91	565	101	1,553	1,597	391
July....	175	1,410	123	95	476	251	1,229	345	407
Aug....	294	435	325	68	482	186	2,019	580	193
Sept....	140	248	49	611	471	140	1,510	488	281
Oct....	496	842	271	60	339	155	2,736	654	436
Nov....	97	452	118	57	329	101	1,289	330	193
Dec....	440	115	309	422	354	26	5,391	620	104
1947									
Jan.....	150	103	38	52	143	106	3,097	65	170
Feb....	707	199	29	34	343	45	2,273	564	193

Month	York Twp. North	Windsor	Brandon	St. Boniface	Winnipeg	Moosé Jaw	Prince Albert	Regina	Saskatoon
1945									
Aug....	4,419	129	29	212	581	17	45	727	165
Sept....	1,026	159	3	108	709	23	80	94	281
Oct....	353	94	13	213	893	26	30	164	122
Nov....	832	176	8	72	945	334	19	40	119
Dec....	111	112	.....	665	211	65	1	74	1,070
1946									
Jan.....	298	130	32	12	949	2	21	47	32
Feb.....	210	636	5	50	275	54	19	68	47
Mar....	1,206	513	59	77	949	97	88	215	378
April....	1,547	289	65	448	2,323	211	316	1,401	1,241
May....	1,270	510	105	258	2,495	115	199	749	659
June....	703	422	43	198	642	67	.....	1,107	1,172
July....	839	197	37	62	782	52	99	533	275
Aug....	652	1,123	108	226	899	420	117	709	623
Sept....	583	441	39	87	576	125	42	464	727
Oct....	814	185	71	107	740	61	143	614	335
Nov....	760	614	.....	41	636	39	29	96	71
Dec....	418	557	480	481	325	35	20	22	782
1947									
Jan.....	213	427	19	37	326	11	11	48	17
Feb....	221	79	25	127	1,558	.....	20	632	33

III. Construction—Concluded

12. BUILDING PERMITS—\$000 *Concluded*

Month	Calgary	Ed- monton	Leth- bridge	Medicine Hat	New West- minster	Prince Rupert	Van- couver	Van- couver North	Victoria
1946									
Jan.....	509	761	93	38	225	18	2,718	141	307
Feb.....	476	197	116	63	301	8	2,733	107	371
Mar.....	1,743	1,379	351	227	245	25	3,504	101	352
April.....	2,741	2,142	221	136	446	38	3,748	100	.....
May.....	2,056	2,545	157	115	166	14	3,059	73	.....
June.....	1,398	1,821	95	43	87	13	1,439	49	286
July.....	453	1,295	80	88	171	82	2,343	72	321
Aug.....	528	957	134	30	118	10	1,705	85	252
Sept.....	596	416	399	23	582	11	1,477	145	438
Oct.....	1,023	2,182	287	50	170	5	1,608	32	430
Nov.....	248	385	17	8	99	3	2,425	54	352
Dec.....	162	939	73	7	99	1	1,377	59	538
1947									
Jan.....	221	199	24	8	483	4	1,395	16	332
Feb.....	433	164	78	83	333	12	1,664	87	290

Arrangements have been made to obtain returns commencing Jan. 1947 from 226 municipalities rather than 204. When first published the coverage is usually incomplete.

13. NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS COMPLETED¹

Item	Canada ²	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
Number										
December, 1946 ³	11,328	156	928	514	2,898	3,790	274	519	393	1,741
12 months to Dec. 1946 ⁴	44,713	166	1,912	2,016	10,342	14,832	2,953	2,440	3,137	6,800
Year 1945.....	34,528	69	1,074	838	10,398	10,806	1,704	1,572	2,151	5,787
1946										
Single Dwelling..	34,397	133	1,643	1,766	5,005	12,405	2,444	2,175	2,846	5,874
Semi-detached...	1,274	2	10	18	940	232	6	10	.....	56
Row or Terrace...	286	6	9	17	140	14	11	4	.....	85
Duplex.....	1,580	4	8	12	1,220	196	32	22	22	64
Triplex.....	660	.....	.....	.....	597	54	.....	.....	3	3
Apartment or flat	1,921	.....	19	34	1,102	277	23	10	35	421
Business Premises	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
and Apartment	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
or Flat.....	1,151	13	74	45	389	364	51	57	65	92
Other.....	11	.....	3	.....	5	2	.....	.....	1	.....
Conversions and	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reconversions	3,433	8	140	124	944	1,288	386	162	165	205
Summer Cottage ⁵	1,508	20	271	87	293	635	14	74	25	89

¹ Source: Housing Statistics published by Public Finance Branch, based on a survey through 523 municipalities; includes unorganized areas of the provinces, and also the Northwest Territories and Yukon.

² Includes returns from the Northwest Territories and Yukon.

³ These totals do not necessarily represent completions during the month of December, since some of the reporting agencies submitted returns during this month which covered all of the new dwelling units completed in the year 1946, and it is impossible to allocate these according to months.

⁴ Subject to revision.

⁵ Summer cottages are excluded from all the figures appearing above this line.

IV. Internal Trade

14. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL SALES, 1935-1939=100

Month	Wholesale, Unadjusted							
	Total	Auto- motive Equip- ment	Drugs	Clothing	Footwear	Dry Goods	Gro- ceries	Fruit and Vege- tables
1945								
Aug.....	216.3	254.3	223.2	193.2	263.5	168.9	191.1	278.7
Sept.....	217.7	293.6	227.1	199.2	243.9	191.3	179.6	296.4
Oct.....	237.2	308.6	268.2	238.6	263.9	184.6	203.1	288.5
Nov.....	221.5	290.8	259.4	200.2	219.3	162.0	195.8	269.4
Dec.....	194.7	202.0	198.3	116.9	219.0	113.4	171.6	298.2
1946								
Jan.....	217.1	356.5	246.4	280.8	230.1	201.7	185.7	230.5
Feb.....	210.4	306.7	227.7	232.7	238.2	189.9	173.2	244.5
Mar.....	234.0	333.3	228.9	235.6	290.0	191.6	187.2	298.8
April.....	238.3	341.3	235.8	210.2	321.5	193.1	189.6	323.5
May.....	259.8	342.7	253.5	200.0	282.8	199.4	218.1	338.1
June.....	241.0	338.4	213.9	181.6	239.6	173.6	202.6	329.0
July.....	249.3	318.0	234.4	172.5	190.7	161.6	221.1	328.0
Aug.....	260.4	334.2	250.9	267.4	328.6	215.7	225.3	311.6
Sept.....	259.5	387.6	258.4	243.4	337.6	232.2	223.1	301.7
Oct.....	276.8	359.5	292.1	281.5	350.5	228.7	248.0	287.9
Nov.....	256.9	327.4	284.3	279.7	282.5	218.9	231.0	262.9
Dec.....	221.6	228.5	217.3	167.4	251.0	158.5	200.9	276.4
1947								
Jan.....	237.5	343.3	254.5	294.0	278.4	218.8	213.7	217.8
Feb.....	232.5	344.1	220.0	275.3	298.9	227.1	201.1	224.0

Month	Wholesale, Unadjusted		Retail Sales, Unadjusted					
	Hardware	Tobacco, Confectionery	Total	Country General	Department	Variety	Food	Restaurants
1945								
Aug.....	218.9	265.1	178.1	186.1	155.7	191.9	188.7	212.4
Sept.....	228.6	250.5	187.2	175.4	201.6	194.2	174.3	204.4
Oct.....	246.6	290.6	203.8	191.5	220.9	218.2	182.4	207.4
Nov.....	236.5	275.5	213.3	182.5	258.3	249.9	185.9	204.6
Dec.....	201.6	272.8	256.1	209.6	279.6	400.0	215.5	201.8
1946								
Jan.....	228.5	254.8	160.0	137.6	137.0	144.1	182.4	190.3
Feb.....	258.0	227.9	167.1	140.2	162.3	157.6	182.2	181.9
Mar.....	283.8	272.0	210.3	168.9	222.2	199.9	213.5	209.7
April.....	279.2	293.7	212.0	187.3	213.3	221.3	203.7	207.5
May.....	300.5	340.0	217.1	212.6	208.8	221.6	212.9	210.7
June.....	286.6	302.4	216.5	201.6	191.9	233.2	222.3	210.1
July.....	281.4	317.3	195.4	208.3	159.7	222.5	196.9	219.3
Aug.....	292.5	308.0	215.0	219.6	197.2	234.9	218.4	225.8
Sept.....	280.5	293.6	207.7	188.6	239.1	218.5	184.6	210.7
Oct.....	297.2	337.4	227.1	205.4	254.8	246.7	202.2	217.0
Nov.....	290.7	312.1	245.4	202.3	304.4	291.0	209.8	210.6
Dec.....	249.4	304.7	282.2	223.7	325.7	449.4	224.6	205.9
1947								
Jan.....	268.3	280.5	181.1	149.2	165.1	159.9	201.4	197.6
Feb.....	293.9	246.1	183.3	150.7	189.7	170.5	198.5	182.9

IV. Internal Trade—Continued

14. INDEXES OF RETAIL SALES, 1935-1939=100

Month	Family Clothing	Men's Clothing	Women's Clothing	Shoes	Drugs	Furniture	Hardware	Jewellery
1945	Unadjusted							
Aug.....	168.6	141.3	166.7	176.9	180.8	137.9	204.0	235.6
Sept.....	200.3	209.8	211.9	205.3	184.6	148.6	212.1	215.1
Oct.....	264.9	252.0	246.3	197.7	196.5	169.6	228.0	229.6
Nov.....	260.3	256.2	243.7	209.4	195.6	164.2	221.0	291.7
Dec.....	311.2	308.0	303.1	258.1	287.1	166.7	231.1	677.6
1946								
Jan.....	144.2	141.3	148.8	110.0	195.2	145.9	158.7	168.6
Feb.....	154.3	160.9	155.2	116.1	185.4	155.5	161.5	196.4
Mar.....	220.3	220.9	253.8	215.2	199.7	195.9	217.7	220.9
April.....	252.3	221.7	259.6	215.9	198.0	225.9	257.9	244.3
May.....	239.0	208.7	236.0	211.1	200.3	222.1	298.2	256.6
June.....	243.7	227.4	228.9	257.7	198.6	204.0	288.4	266.0
July.....	203.0	173.9	185.8	189.0	201.5	186.0	273.7	250.0
Aug.....	222.8	182.4	197.8	198.8	208.4	203.8	277.2	267.8
Sept.....	217.1	213.3	222.2	201.3	200.0	197.4	258.5	239.0
Oct.....	287.0	254.5	263.4	208.5	211.7	213.4	266.0	238.1
Nov.....	311.7	306.1	285.3	230.1	214.4	209.0	270.7	305.0
Dec.....	336.0	346.6	334.1	292.3	296.9	213.2	286.6	698.0
1947								
Jan.....	171.6	156.3	186.5	133.6	202.3	180.7	186.1	177.6
Feb.....	165.4	168.1	169.6	118.6	190.9	179.6	185.4	171.7

Month	Unad- justed	Adjusted						
	Radio and Electri- city	Total	Country General	Depart- ment	Variety	Food	Restau- rants	Family Clothing
1945								
Aug.....	112.9	189.8	170.5	184.7	203.7	198.9	194.8	205.8
Sept.....	125.9	186.0	164.2	205.3	200.9	173.7	199.5	212.8
Oct.....	144.3	189.8	171.4	189.3	213.0	185.4	202.9	223.3
Nov.....	153.5	200.9	175.1	222.4	246.3	185.6	214.8	218.1
Dec.....	200.0	187.4	174.2	174.4	197.8	189.8	196.1	194.1
1946								
Jan.....	145.8	196.1	179.4	182.4	227.7	192.4	199.6	214.1
Feb.....	151.5	212.7	188.4	215.7	233.4	198.3	205.9	238.4
Mar.....	191.3	229.2	197.3	258.7	247.4	197.6	213.7	278.1
April.....	202.0	211.6	202.2	207.4	242.2	211.4	208.4	213.7
May.....	223.1	208.5	195.7	201.7	224.1	209.2	204.9	231.9
June.....	200.3	210.5	197.3	189.2	220.3	216.4	213.2	231.0
July.....	189.3	212.0	195.0	206.8	225.9	204.2	208.3	238.6
Aug.....	211.0	220.8	196.3	232.0	233.3	215.6	207.1	255.9
Sept.....	234.0	213.8	181.0	244.6	240.1	197.1	206.3	243.6
Oct.....	251.2	210.5	183.2	218.3	240.8	203.8	211.7	242.4
Nov.....	242.8	223.1	188.7	261.1	271.0	198.0	221.0	247.8
Dec.....	324.4	212.4	191.6	203.2	234.6	208.9	200.7	220.0
1947								
Jan.....	234.1	220.1	193.0	219.1	248.7	207.6	204.9	251.7
Feb.....	234.1	233.6	202.5	252.1	252.4	216.1	207.1	255.5

IV. Internal Trade—Concluded

14. INDEX OF RETAIL SALES, ADJUSTED, 1935-1939=100

Month	Men's Clothing	Women's Clothing	Shoes	Drugs	Furniture	Hardware	Jewellery	Radio and Electri- cal
1945								
Aug.....	190.5	212.5	202.2	181.2	134.8	190.6	244.5	124.0
Sept.....	213.1	223.6	184.9	183.0	129.2	184.7	248.4	117.4
Oct.....	215.0	210.2	197.0	190.4	143.9	198.3	247.5	121.0
Nov.....	207.3	217.7	215.3	197.8	153.2	217.6	286.1	134.4
Dec.....	178.5	196.2	179.0	226.6	141.0	210.4	266.8	156.9
1946								
Jan.....	199.3	207.3	157.2	207.5	222.2	263.4	236.5	174.4
Feb.....	256.0	247.0	196.2	205.7	199.3	295.9	282.0	196.3
Mar.....	262.1	302.6	284.6	200.9	224.9	300.4	288.9	223.3
April.....	196.3	202.9	173.5	205.7	209.5	251.9	296.6	206.0
May.....	216.2	225.5	189.5	204.8	180.0	225.0	286.0	191.9
June.....	209.1	213.3	195.7	209.2	206.0	242.3	291.7	217.3
July.....	215.4	222.8	210.8	207.4	241.9	248.8	295.4	218.4
Aug.....	228.3	240.4	210.4	204.2	190.4	250.5	277.9	231.7
Sept.....	232.0	244.2	194.9	202.4	177.9	228.9	276.0	218.1
Oct.....	218.0	224.9	207.0	205.1	181.8	232.2	256.6	210.5
Nov.....	231.4	245.4	221.9	212.5	187.8	261.4	299.2	212.6
Dec.....	213.7	224.0	218.3	239.8	184.6	263.9	272.7	254.5
1947								
Jan.....	217.8	256.9	183.3	213.6	270.9	305.3	248.8	280.0
Feb.....	267.4	269.9	200.5	211.8	230.2	339.7	246.6	303.4

V. External Trade

15. EXTERNAL TRADE, EXCLUDING GOLD \$000

Month	Exports			Imports	Positive Balance of Trade	Duty Collected
	Total	Domestic	Foreign	Total		
1945						
Aug.....	300,632	295,049	5,583	128,134	172,498	12,767
Sept.....	224,981	220,810	4,171	122,259	102,722	13,798
Oct.....	232,895	227,901	4,994	134,404	98,491	14,329
Nov.....	241,259	238,637	2,622	142,409	98,850	14,166
Dec.....	236,404	234,826	1,578	121,192	115,212	15,484
1946						
Jan.....	191,344	189,090	2,254	140,309	51,035	16,195
Feb.....	154,735	153,143	1,591	116,996	37,738	13,191
Mar.....	179,972	178,377	1,595	139,949	40,023	18,065
April.....	180,262	178,488	1,774	160,765	19,497	17,555
May.....	198,837	196,978	1,859	164,197	34,641	17,017
June.....	168,772	166,897	2,075	157,658	11,114	17,835
July.....	191,263	188,706	2,557	161,615	29,647	17,628
Aug.....	245,994	242,685	3,309	163,224	82,770	18,515
Sept.....	171,916	169,779	2,137	156,096	15,821	20,598
Oct.....	206,608	204,150	2,458	186,393	20,215	22,280
Nov.....	235,138	232,219	2,919	198,164	36,974	25,136
Dec.....	214,325	211,903	2,422	181,913	32,412	25,141
1947						
Jan.....	210,484	208,639	1,845	173,783	36,701	22,500
Feb.....	181,836	179,505	2,331	170,090	4,746	22,800

V. External Trade—Continued

16. CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY CONTINENTS, EXCLUDING GOLD

In Dollars

Month	Europe	North America	South America	Asia	Oceania	Africa
1945						
June.....	132,168,867	123,399,323	3,339,011	44,071,311	4,270,410	15,597,146
July.....	114,563,604	111,850,033	5,148,215	38,778,220	5,051,209	7,317,664
Aug.....	101,123,084	120,693,159	3,640,115	56,629,473	3,457,170	9,505,735
Sept.....	88,601,959	93,949,785	4,872,209	18,503,777	6,293,141	8,589,285
Oct.....	95,020,147	98,920,957	4,839,290	15,328,766	5,826,270	7,965,888
Nov.....	96,550,065	111,729,549	3,611,208	14,268,274	5,649,529	6,822,514
Dec.....	101,776,189	97,725,029	7,286,450	19,134,856	4,303,516	4,599,997
1946						
Jan.....	89,090,296	69,841,118	6,662,662	13,053,805	4,533,473	5,938,657
Feb.....	63,620,881	63,896,415	5,981,456	10,748,409	1,602,088	7,293,945
Mar.....	77,883,744	73,823,624	5,328,553	8,752,352	3,777,970	8,810,611
April.....	72,801,315	79,281,273	5,648,909	9,405,564	3,868,426	7,482,519
May.....	81,886,103	84,300,287	5,922,992	9,685,375	4,493,120	10,710,595
June.....	63,405,693	75,808,773	4,486,634	10,545,726	4,519,073	7,931,534
July.....	68,787,056	87,994,064	5,231,299	11,966,691	5,823,644	8,862,868
Aug.....	113,894,848	88,816,593	8,155,340	13,015,945	6,701,812	12,100,472
Sept.....	66,744,464	79,938,631	3,753,259	6,686,160	5,097,220	7,559,727
Oct.....	68,250,296	109,082,931	5,639,951	11,037,712	3,057,679	7,081,450
Nov.....	84,676,608	101,890,958	11,475,260	14,968,842	6,870,906	12,336,124
Dec.....	80,964,125	95,826,243	8,800,088	8,946,660	7,237,750	10,127,715
1947						
Jan.....	74,764,458	93,393,982	12,742,511	13,056,410	5,333,851	9,347,786
Feb.....	68,338,361	78,561,432	9,419,195	9,062,284	6,019,801	8,103,825

17. ENTRIES OF AUTOMOBILES INTO CANADA VIA THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY ON TRAVELLERS' VEHICLE PERMITS

Month	Total	Maritime Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia and Yukon
1945								
Sept.....	145,968	7,333	25,562	92,511	1,611	720	583	17,648
Oct.....	84,933	5,235	16,252	50,019	1,113	475	366	11,473
Nov.....	53,330	3,314	9,398	30,866	602	132	204	8,814
Dec.....	33,442	1,585	5,475	17,385	425	58	139	8,375
1946								
Jan.....	26,780	1,103	3,925	15,190	217	54	99	6,192
Feb.....	29,847	1,365	4,119	16,048	145	31	102	8,037
Mar.....	47,492	2,461	8,106	27,682	379	99	214	8,551
April.....	64,550	3,216	12,290	39,309	725	296	266	8,448
May.....	105,499	5,303	18,112	65,578	1,541	886	540	13,530
June.....	183,362	10,446	32,595	112,688	3,412	2,052	2,287	19,882
July.....	300,635	16,309	53,709	187,783	4,856	2,237	5,318	30,423
Aug.....	332,407	17,231	59,026	211,280	4,931	2,024	5,012	32,903
Sept.....	181,734	10,776	35,958	108,765	3,275	1,119	1,757	20,084
Oct.....	111,696	7,663	26,669	61,652	1,648	551	564	12,949
Nov.....	68,497	5,174	15,782	36,191	1,161	283	188	9,718
Dec.....	39,607	2,100	7,350	20,930	507	91	166	8,463
1947								
Jan.....	24,306	1,606	4,318	12,953	333	21	110	4,965
Feb.....	25,083	5,110	3,759	11,904	232	7	166	7,664
Mar.....	34,247	2,396	6,274	15,724	385	43	237	9,188

V. External Trade—Continued

18. IMPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

Thousands of Dollars

Country	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
All countries.....	116,996	139,949	166,765	164,197	157,653	161,615	163,324	156,096	196,393	198,164	181,913	173,782	177,099	
EMPIRE COUNTRIES.....	20,374	26,850	31,904	31,803	34,030	31,301	28,051	25,702	30,704	28,096	21,922	20,268	23,436	
British East Africa.....	1	983	183	455	1	.....	214	645	775	261	69	432	348
British South Africa.....	814	730	777	963	461	535	765	462	362	358	585	300	127	
Southern Rhodesia.....	9	7	5	5	6	8	7	7	10	12	9	5	7	
British West Africa.....	881	954	524	2,215	1,233	853	1,122	7	163	244	1,828	36	1,359	
Bermuda.....	2	.....	4	17	2	4	6	36	27	20	1	2	1
British India.....	745	2,141	3,553	2,436	1,946	650	1,334	4,768	861	3,390	1,707	1,775	5,531	
Ceylon.....	41	333	351	433	515	3	324	304	175	677	154	194	651	
British Guiana.....	448	1,018	553	307	1,300	1,189	1,536	1,390	1,671	2,146	599	57	407	
Barbados.....	27	27	517	402	878	399	1,071	880	315	776	152	419	64	
Jamaica.....	1,135	779	915	1,264	619	878	1,260	1,100	295	753	434	536	190	
Trinidad and Tobago.....	135	437	146	132	335	401	560	259	597	584	178	569	27	
Other British West Indies.....	67	44	37	61	71	30	50	40	53	113	126	22	55	
Newfoundland.....	640	404	544	603	539	1,211	796	841	1,715	867	532	209	144	
Australia.....	1,272	2,002	1,007	1,628	1,845	2,463	2,212	1,499	2,563	1,558	990	617	1,215	
Fiji.....	.....	599	.....	718	.....	.....	303	.....	407	457	1	2	559
New Zealand.....	909	842	879	1,178	447	560	786	1,361	995	917	2,501	607	1,520	
United Kingdom.....	12,994	14,435	21,224	18,780	23,394	21,696	14,512	11,983	15,626	14,888	11,664	14,257	10,515	
FOREIGN COUNTRIES.....	96,622	113,091	134,861	132,393	123,623	130,314	135,172	130,394	155,688	170,068	159,990	153,514	153,654	
United States.....	88,046	100,132	114,700	113,420	108,008	21,896	123,123	115,766	140,448	149,473	145,641	136,608	138,768	
Argentina.....	391	417	359	538	683	415	661	2,247	1,000	5,631	1,457	2,253	2,059	
Bolivia.....	.....	15	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Brazil.....	876	732	1,136	1,162	2,309	1,879	516	1,512	842	821	732	734	481	
Chile.....	36	14	36	28	22	44	30	12	40	112	13	22	34	
Colombia.....	671	658	664	710	1,334	1,129	913	985	870	291	294	788	1,516	
Costa Rica.....	28	59	89	16	45	9	34	58	1,134	31	.....	3	.....
Cuba.....	436	511	726	2,423	1,790	1,929	897	840	709	1,136	611	934	750	
Ecuador.....	7	10	30	25	8	.....	4	1	24	10	40	13	9
Egypt.....	20	64	8	42	.....	3	.....	8	28	.....	46	16	15
Guatemala.....	43	652	295	849	204	173	181	101	78	1,035	99	71	184	
Haiti.....	75	55	323	83	21	16	8	4	13	3,063	20	23	22	
Honduras.....	952	1,370	1,660	1,702	2,071	1,388	1,343	1,153	519	1,390	1,305	857	1,081	
Mexico.....	1,724	2,105	2,252	1,965	1,195	486	731	368	629	955	725	873	781	
Netherlands West Indies.....	1	207	62	26	939	332	248	352	325	271	363	11	386	
Panama.....	.....	.....	.....	8	2	.....	1	1	1	25	.....	.....	.....
Paraguay.....	6	.....	.....	115	78	19	.....	32	.....	.....	18	52	1
Peru.....	166	23	7	184	152	4	10	5	5	264	25	84	64	
Portugal.....	260	142	215	141	306	220	173	98	185	215	124	168	90	
Salvador.....	66	650	680	628	.....	344	.....	.....	13	1	12	.....	113
San Domingo.....	429	515	34	1,551	118	539	53	725	1,225	338	721	166	1	
Spain.....	461	443	452	450	465	335	319	181	335	235	274	231	168	
Sweden.....	451	373	285	381	230	271	269	315	237	209	402	306	98	
Switzerland.....	504	687	732	660	544	3,104	774	542	857	1,326	620	845	751	
Puerto Rico.....	13	45	47	6	1	6	3	3	31	10	27	9	7	
Uruguay.....	.....	7	23	36	34	172	110	63	39	96	31	105	26
Venezuela.....	1,207	1,384	1,787	2,871	2,176	1,632	2,966	2,470	2,981	2,288	3,330	2,088	2,209	

V. External Trade—Continued

19. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S IMPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

Thousands of Dollars

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	
Total Imports.....	116,996	125,849	168,765	164,197	157,658	161,615	163,224	156,696	156,393	198,184	181,912	173,782	177,996	
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.....	18,113	26,281	25,415	30,617	25,978	23,914	24,479	21,407	26,188	33,856	29,470	23,959	25,675	
Fruits.....	5,673	6,982	7,371	8,558	9,949	9,969	8,629	5,721	7,356	8,113	10,473	7,709	4,638	
Nuts.....	1,915	2,724	1,320	2,236	2,175	638	908	1,243	1,794	3,423	2,360	2,650	2,451	
Vegetables.....	2,539	4,000	5,182	3,778	3,474	1,706	264	378	905	1,039	1,461	1,563	1,669	
Grains and products.....	832	1,747	1,642	980	470	888	2,061	1,911	1,308	3,441	3,732	2,250	1,836	
Oil, vegetable.....	921	893	1,030	1,310	890	607	671	484	828	4,822	1,317	2,487	2,613	
Cocoa and chocolate.....	330	429	22	928	565	613	890	12	5	4,149	1,780	465	553	
Coffee and chicory.....	598	1,568	1,957	2,079	1,652	2,077	917	1,640	979	572	406	447	1,568	
Tea.....	613	327	862	449	.....	605	1,536	364	2,008	666	542	2,668	.....
Alcoholic beverages.....	915	893	848	839	864	1,013	1,109	1,049	1,218	1,253	1,768	1,016	1,010	
Gums and resins.....	463	281	500	533	271	337	467	637	803	442	829	243	454	
ANIMAL PRODUCTS.....	6,539	5,001	4,586	5,253	4,068	5,270	5,098	4,683	5,603	5,462	7,158	6,477	8,225	
Furs (chiefly raw).....	3,689	2,503	2,015	1,879	1,568	1,540	2,074	2,304	1,957	2,161	1,966	1,862	2,476	
Hides, raw.....	277	214	104	243	149	235	584	49	167	406	1,123	1,488	1,270	
FIBRES AND TEXTILES.....	15,518	20,439	21,038	20,351	20,129	18,114	20,466	20,794	24,223	30,770	31,583	32,888	32,676	
Cotton raw and linters.....	3,414	3,408	2,780	4,154	3,627	3,265	3,314	2,179	2,889	4,737	6,272	5,316	4,926	
Cotton products.....	4,327	5,070	5,607	5,211	8,741	5,256	5,783	4,725	7,266	9,787	10,920	12,000	11,933	
Silk and products.....	258	209	229	214	201	282	318	360	448	594	684	694	783	
Artificial silk and products.....	1,179	1,703	1,775	1,625	1,846	1,548	1,947	1,859	1,946	2,575	2,586	3,160	2,880	
Flax, hemp and jute (total).....	629	1,907	3,685	1,550	2,085	1,155	1,235	3,101	1,412	2,698	1,430	1,796	3,318	
Wool (total).....	3,490	4,645	4,494	4,915	4,778	4,982	6,030	6,019	7,038	6,743	6,388	6,128	5,453	
Wood and paper.....	4,884	5,831	6,334	5,667	5,824	5,595	5,481	5,365	6,507	6,880	6,428	6,514	6,520	
Wood, unmanufactured (total).....	513	631	621	729	681	774	663	770	924	846	879	958	1,209	
Wood, manufactured.....	601	779	1,028	930	1,012	876	919	889	1,122	1,255	1,257	1,551	1,181	
Paper.....	1,411	1,660	1,646	1,575	1,509	1,465	1,389	1,600	1,836	1,762	1,632	1,668	1,867	
Books and printed matter.....	2,270	2,761	3,030	2,433	2,622	2,480	2,511	2,107	2,625	3,007	2,660	2,337	2,264	
IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS.....	24,721	29,979	41,132	41,664	40,453	43,665	43,946	42,814	50,215	51,591	49,003	48,813	48,604	
Castings and forgings.....	283	424	594	563	517	722	645	560	796	984	763	652	961	
Rolling mill products.....	1,292	3,398	5,622	4,890	3,954	4,165	4,645	4,794	5,588	5,871	4,696	5,282	5,195	
Engines and boilers.....	1,404	1,527	1,969	2,562	2,615	4,942	1,930	2,209	2,567	2,675	3,331	2,796	2,600	
Farm implements.....	3,857	3,092	4,667	5,127	5,428	6,674	8,072	5,873	6,495	7,043	7,048	7,164	6,509	
Machinery (except agricultural).....	7,559	8,711	10,662	11,093	11,290	10,890	11,195	10,915	12,665	12,786	13,069	13,206	12,681	
Tools.....	688	786	963	860	769	835	889	758	991	990	822	972	870	
Automobiles and parts.....	4,840	5,986	9,418	8,854	8,040	7,402	7,730	9,087	10,911	10,770	10,085	10,196	10,898	
NON-FERROUS METALS.....	6,300	7,219	9,331	9,793	11,190	10,458	9,631	10,900	13,916	12,963	10,925	9,725	11,173	
Electrical apparatus.....	3,104	3,434	4,106	4,107	4,065	4,044	3,706	3,790	4,523	5,016	4,624	4,792	5,127	
NON-METALLIC MINERALS.....	19,674	22,236	24,347	24,464	23,776	28,044	33,630	33,140	37,905	34,742	27,828	26,604	25,198	
Clay products.....	1,075	1,409	1,602	1,488	1,628	1,529	1,296	1,258	1,601	1,949	1,511	1,676	1,411	
Coal.....	8,780	9,574	8,182	5,463	8,066	9,795	13,229	12,116	15,393	13,202	9,434	9,317	8,755	
Coal products.....	1,267	1,121	862	794	814	1,025	1,273	1,384	1,208	1,188	667	1,006	743	
Glass and glassware.....	1,384	1,778	1,888	1,865	1,725	1,861	1,739	2,201	2,480	2,725	2,084	2,145	2,003	
Petroleum products.....	5,349	5,938	9,001	11,512	11,429	10,697	12,846	12,675	13,592	12,180	11,743	9,740	10,033	
Stone and products.....	654	767	1,215	1,182	1,292	1,413	1,450	1,349	1,872	2,119	933	1,434	904	
CHEMICALS.....	6,965	7,558	8,937	8,905	7,507	7,652	7,093	6,756	8,024	8,735	7,811	7,907	8,466	
Acids.....	302	281	277	316	246	294	255	170	355	254	271	261	272	
Cellulose products.....	515	537	605	601	618	599	483	526	482	676	801	469	567	
Drugs and medicines.....	675	729	980	872	925	889	673	584	747	775	687	861	1,113	
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	612	700	794	962	812	792	873	704	686	771	712	742	725	
Fertilizers.....	365	320	506	470	175	252	335	364	362	528	399	293	343	
Paints and varnishes.....	787	846	914	952	838	700	601	567	679	828	869	926	922	
Inorganic chemicals (total).....	766	977	1,190	1,164	1,082	976	1,121	1,045	1,286	1,078	930	839	874	
MISCELLANEOUS COMMODITIES.....	14,583	15,404	19,645	17,582	18,732	18,905	13,398	11,136	13,812	13,165	11,707	10,894	10,555	
Films.....	175	227	303	203	162	163	284	185	129	257	136	204	221	
Scientific equipment.....	953	949	1,276	1,084	1,282	1,177	1,184	1,084	1,337	1,369	1,330	1,195	1,216	

V. External Trade—Continued

20. CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS BY PRINCIPAL COUNTRIES, EXCLUDING GOLD

Thousands of Dollars

Country	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
All countries.....	178,377	178,488	196,978	166,697	188,766	242,685	169,779	264,156	233,219	211,943		208,639	179,585	208,973
EMPIRES														
COUNTRIES.....	70,147	58,971	84,841	54,807	72,093	105,653	76,452	71,594	91,631	87,981		78,919	68,935	76,273
British East Africa.....	193	277	269	123	203	175	114	99	246	312		259	139	362
British South Africa.....	4,137	3,409	7,118	6,020	6,847	9,734	6,034	5,821	8,570	6,175		6,174	5,721	7,637
Southern Rhodesia.....	260	223	481	239	218	333	233	137	418	290		366	401	262
British West Africa.....	197	236	261	166	163	196	56	578	220	286		291	237	254
Bermuda.....	245	241	358	324	299	474	340	258	348	511		520	245	289
British India.....	4,819	2,301	4,508	4,143	4,347	2,158	1,248	4,161	3,226	2,386		2,218	1,171	3,205
Ceylon.....	180	119	167	119	286	127	90	47	367	256		127	223	260
British Guiana.....	526	383	637	568	562	1,052	587	667	666	553		817	685	525
Barbados.....	451	445	594	578	618	950	316	511	624	461		712	429	599
Jamaica.....	489	1,105	1,326	684	2,481	1,674	1,555	1,396	1,912	1,655		1,275	1,060	723
Trinidad, Tobago.....	1,003	809	2,270	1,701	1,909	2,472	1,524	1,666	2,072	1,731		2,116	1,630	1,736
British West Indies other.....	483	499	688	828	673	1,085	780	776	753	951		640	397	486
Newfoundland.....	2,103	2,013	4,300	2,588	4,287	4,367	3,354	3,386	4,050	3,647		4,276	2,314	2,837
Australia.....	2,439	1,722	3,183	3,160	3,734	5,056	3,291	2,373	4,991	4,321		4,322	4,722	4,191
New Zealand.....	927	1,835	1,052	975	1,911	1,358	1,573	620	1,754	2,611		847	1,158	2,182
Palestine.....	64	368	71	10	739	477	106	63	868	98		315	1,230	282
Eire.....	610	87	463	106	575	359	397	1,022	1,360	1,433		506	538	596
United Kingdom.....	50,549	40,974	54,902	30,621	40,407	71,852	54,258	47,665	57,885	50,360		50,465	44,871	47,558
FOREIGN														
COUNTRIES.....	108,230	119,517	112,137	111,890	116,613	137,032	93,328	132,556	140,588	123,921		129,720	110,570	132,700
United States.....	66,465	71,399	72,300	66,677	74,759	74,961	69,598	99,086	89,228	83,868		79,453	63,396	83,098
Argentina.....	1,175	948	766	769	1,190	1,584	561	1,190	2,757	1,751		5,189	3,760	2,380
Bolivia.....	42	69	58	37	58	71	12	16	38	47		64	63	66
Brazil.....	1,324	1,714	1,404	611	1,224	2,756	1,420	1,701	5,230	2,924		1,781	2,334	2,058
Chile.....	327	270	322	346	271	370	89	307	345	314		403	262	269
China.....	2,042	2,017	1,916	4,021	4,343	8,722	3,082	5,632	5,568	2,216		4,810	3,317	3,680
Colombia.....	430	891	896	808	867	817	380	264	804	1,299		1,193	832	868
Costa Rica.....	118	126	46	77	93	118	48	9	38	33		317	96	106
Cuba.....	421	395	258	411	503	337	406	507	398	430		857	426	274
Ecuador.....	75	50	43	57	77	172	45	65	64	78		278	146	266
Egypt.....	237	2,226	1,222	641	970	1,315	862	726	2,381	2,256		1,340	1,082	1,772
France.....	8,743	7,585	5,290	6,350	4,358	8,408	3,643	5,079	7,911	6,519		7,441	5,395	6,555
French Possessions.....	3,423	947	1,021	236	425	365	357	272	398	347		596	832	409
Greece.....	224	1,645	826	1,664	2,538	546	435	1,333	220	280		836	360	1,348
Guatemala.....	73	170	24	105	158	75	64	26	56	62		289	230	168
Hayti.....	166	108	135	68	105	109	98	111	67	84		224	226	105
Honduras.....	29	193	42	64	41	30	26	4	48	81		82	30	23
Iceland.....	21	57	706	327	613	233	175	161	114	181		165	212	310
Iraq.....	8	808	183	499	482	2	172	262	518	60		25	17	352
Italy.....	37	2,817	694	5,103	1,705	3,735	1,034	102	912	1,528		779	2,010	3,523
Mexico.....	793	691	847	928	979	980	959	737	867	1,295		756	776	1,062
Morocco.....	153	3	129	26	6	47	2	17	87	19		176	41	167
Netherlands.....	3,161	1,712	2,423	1,781	1,688	3,602	928	1,701	3,658	3,132		3,562	3,983	
Netherlands West Indies.....	46	179	168	189	121	145	112	41	151	108		72	186	113
Nicaragua.....	17	30	22	46	53	40	30	42	40	23		85	89	499
Norway.....	3,082	1,201	1,743	1,616	259	2,520	1,397	1,646	1,560	1,600		1,728	745	2,080
Panama.....	146	107	94	125	119	137	198	17	170	142		261	74	130
Iran.....	27	103	39	36	30	20	6	13	31	16		70	28	36
Peru.....	831	208	206	292	292	148	84	592	262	195		1,104	205	335
Portugal.....	293	185	317	237	175	116	225	205	198	92		429	212	290
Portuguese Africa.....	157	251	200	159	84	69	158	140	150	561		223	148	253
Soviet Union.....	2,198	204	1,738	668	540	500	33	370	192	408		526	736	1,640
Salvador.....	94	27	4	98	38	70	31	3	39	14		155	41	9
San Domingo.....	118	150	130	117	88	129	53	76	226	294		182	209	74
Spain.....	1	12	196	3	3	99	262	24	84	59		59	215	12
Switzerland.....	533	459	241	976	262	1,852	364	1,052	501	1,843		290	1,036	245
Turkey.....	261	237	314	272	98	44	57	4	84	194		373	68	55
Hawaii.....	404	295	253	287	157	224	222		73	256		24	52	537
Puerto Rico.....	364	163	305	113	268	314	156	224	251	182		179	283	104
Uruguay.....	205	187	120	124	113	252	96	239	590	418		368	146	111
Venezuela.....	837	882	1,307	791	538	820	447	549	702	1,194		1,900	936	918

V. External Trade—Concluded

21. SUMMARY OF CANADA'S DOMESTIC EXPORTS (EXCLUDING GOLD)

Thousands of Dollars

Classification	1946										1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Total Exports	178,377	178,488	196,978	166,097	188,766	242,085	169,779	264,156	332,219	211,963	266,639	179,585	266,973
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS	47,703	46,436	53,013	37,995	45,119	42,897	33,772	60,880	68,802	57,023	56,932	39,017	45,272
Fruits.....	80	113	135	93	208	1,456	2,420	2,222	4,337	2,964	1,807	1,762	776
Vegetables.....	969	851	946	1,948	816	718	600	535	2,085	1,222	1,094	1,078	2,006
Wheat.....	24,078	21,236	24,271	15,620	21,124	13,024	9,110	30,600	37,967	24,231	22,770	12,973	13,103
Grains, other.....	1,327	1,204	1,776	3,000	3,482	2,302	2,481	7,600	8,562	9,454	3,165	1,699	3,745
Wheat flour.....	8,252	11,036	13,655	8,792	9,646	16,382	10,831	9,304	13,000	7,230	13,737	12,269	13,695
Alcoholic beverages.....	3,472	2,987	3,975	2,350	2,962	2,451	2,918	2,937	3,839	2,767	3,049	1,707	2,327
Rubber and products.....	2,082	2,226	2,386	1,744	1,452	1,864	1,339	1,658	2,431	2,407	3,218	1,711	2,579
Seeds.....	2,192	1,813	812	148	56	113	265	733	1,570	1,937	2,706	2,365	1,796
ANIMAL PRODUCTS	30,829	24,146	29,782	24,419	26,419	41,623	30,064	29,664	26,359	30,531	28,609	26,117	25,137
Cattle.....	1,157	1,336	1,915	1,583	2,112	1,912	1,501	1,716	1,683	1,205	806	629	816
Fishery Products.....	6,830	5,205	5,865	8,761	9,307	7,768	8,037	10,085	7,016	8,665	7,554	5,737	7,109
Furs (chiefly raw).....	3,066	3,551	4,265	1,960	1,812	1,830	2,637	837	513	2,266	3,154	2,633	4,140
Leather and products.....	958	1,002	1,669	1,618	1,527	2,096	1,244	1,646	2,094	1,121	1,853	1,581	1,617
Bacon and hams.....	5,197	3,164	7,879	4,923	4,841	9,514	4,132	3,487	3,090	8,208	4,693	3,463	4,395
Meats, other.....	7,401	6,169	3,619	2,750	2,379	3,458	3,078	4,585	4,743	7,853	7,090	6,802	2,488
Cheese.....	64	80	89	55	53	7,062	5,204	3,190	1,749	1,302	467	13	153
Milk products, other.....	588	698	796	965	1,355	2,414	1,731	1,819	1,199	746	693	545	630
Eggs.....	4,358	2,088	2,837	858	2,184	2,725	923	1,650	3,132	1,267	1,214	3,953	3,164
MINERAL PRODUCTS	3,967	5,827	7,888	2,831	5,530	4,963	3,278	3,043	3,854	3,916	3,266	2,613	3,070
Cotton.....	970	722	986	632	945	894	709	823	773	1,140	743	572	778
Flax.....	235	498	361	127	252	293	96	89	68	67	51	64	90
Wool.....	996	2,286	3,371	389	2,275	1,676	939	868	907	486	690	491	484
Artificial silk.....	654	335	916	333	222	1,076	793	536	966	973	766	513	691
Wood and Paper.....	44,872	46,373	46,765	43,288	54,553	59,040	54,208	62,940	67,806	61,608	58,938	59,380	63,912
Planis and boards.....	7,824	7,610	8,168	6,099	10,910	10,873	13,706	16,000	15,161	14,924	13,024	15,676	17,733
Pulpwood.....	1,995	1,305	1,348	2,316	3,599	3,972	2,608	4,346	2,034	1,343	2,124	1,837	1,443
Unmanufactured wood, other.....	3,784	4,671	4,004	2,367	4,580	5,809	6,057	5,514	7,542	5,840	3,813	5,874	6,701
Wood pulp.....	8,660	9,284	10,450	9,067	9,375	9,391	9,313	10,179	10,867	10,224	11,916	11,202	14,192
Paper, newsprint.....	19,327	20,999	21,808	21,533	22,729	25,248	19,559	24,005	28,697	25,697	24,913	21,921	25,083
Paper, other.....	3,670	1,526	1,594	1,117	1,989	2,564	1,846	1,530	2,130	2,624	2,096	2,103	2,442
IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS	18,167	18,939	17,810	24,706	21,936	30,964	10,842	10,658	18,921	16,728	21,425	20,089	20,769
Pigs, ingots, etc.....	170	362	713	520	145	5	.....	.....	.....	181	238	519	877
Rolling mill products.....	753	415	673	647	616	483	331	332	772	861	356	849	393
Locomotives and parts.....	3,018	1,850	2,301	2,744	1,637	2,375	37	105	3,026	3,068	1,684	3,472	1,565
Farm implements.....	2,525	4,466	3,232	2,450	2,975	2,126	1,392	1,861	2,137	1,787	2,200	2,712	3,498
Hardware and cutlery.....	356	319	353	307	319	682	315	300	330	390	451	429	365
Machinery, other than farm.....	1,218	970	1,178	1,153	1,085	1,598	1,035	2,083	1,791	1,859	2,496	1,363	2,638
Automobiles and parts.....	6,490	6,014	5,209	10,606	8,144	7,842	4,713	3,713	6,061	5,695	10,999	7,852	8,018
NON-FERROUS METALS (excluding gold)	18,379	21,849	23,814	17,414	17,781	36,345	18,869	14,030	27,468	24,182	22,454	16,433	23,413
NON-METALLIC MINERALS	3,817	3,856	4,809	4,967	5,825	5,836	5,122	5,337	5,727	5,661	5,470	4,270	5,428
Coal.....	405	355	426	622	733	595	572	651	535	755	467	251	209
Petroleum.....	148	75	338	217	667	613	285	671	616	495	745	249	437
Abrasives.....	940	1,107	996	911	945	1,010	964	1,078	1,127	1,191	1,156	1,008	1,272
Chemicals.....	5,634	5,677	5,826	5,155	5,911	6,605	5,261	5,780	5,402	5,620	6,671	5,063	7,378
Acids.....	138	165	219	128	183	210	203	141	110	213	268	273	285
Fertilizers.....	3,141	2,536	2,418	2,370	2,464	2,849	2,703	2,907	2,466	2,383	3,147	2,216	3,603
Soda compounds.....	261	363	424	334	440	396	361	429	331	409	364	408	516
MISCELLANEOUS	5,010	5,484	5,271	5,921	5,631	14,422	8,366	11,817	7,878	6,433	4,974	5,653	9,595
Electrical energy.....	651	593	617	596	646	596	633	596	501	415	452	311	411
Films.....	251	181	358	161	227	195	225	226	159	148	258	133	304

VI. Transportation

22. CANAL CARGO TRAFFIC

Canal	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Sault Ste. Marie.....	1,899	6,290	12,323	14,987	14,021	14,314	14,907	11,485	1,449	.....	.....	.....
Welland.....	646	1,054	809	1,530	1,605	1,449	1,571	1,565	350	.....	.....	.....
St. Lawrence.....	266	728	272	893	994	960	941	750	36	.....	.....	.....
000 tons.....

* Includes certain military stores.

VI. Transportation—Continued
23. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS

Commodity	1946										1947
	Jan.	Mar.	April	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS.											
Wheat.....	908,314	788,501	920,203	784,306	666,277	1,307,169	1,764,073	1,647,860	935,626	747,681	
Corn.....	24,364	16,491	18,711	9,715	2,235	3,056	3,743	17,499	35,496	13,834	
Oats.....	298,506	232,557	235,189	234,835	163,260	308,640	295,355	271,414	188,165	187,374	
Barley.....	159,846	92,376	119,241	134,654	107,030	403,115	219,295	194,501	165,404	145,351	
Rye.....	4,179	6,822	11,575	7,973	2,822	27,202	35,022	24,663	23,910	18,079	
Flaxseed.....	20,271	16,743	14,794	10,117	11,082	18,440	42,840	57,928	21,612	21,128	
Other grain.....	7,760	8,488	5,300	2,257	1,811	11,310	20,226	18,173	14,702	7,888	
Flour.....	175,530	198,447	201,815	188,279	175,967	170,257	163,744	169,235	161,687	179,743	
Other mill products.....	223,409	241,744	226,182	218,470	205,961	230,792	267,248	270,527	264,685	213,302	
Hay and straw.....	52,429	49,878	26,779	27,886	13,962	23,604	37,466	43,357	44,944	36,607	
Cotton.....	2,139	1,753	2,853	2,511	2,108	2,577	1,004	1,290	1,267	815	
Apples (fresh).....	19,123	6,939	5,951	225	845	25,929	82,592	70,923	56,098	32,525	
Other fruit (fresh).....	1,054	1,688	2,132	1,414	5,305	48,438	16,074	3,054	2,006	1,684	
Potatoes.....	31,338	40,975	33,130	24,248	15,836	29,638	88,337	76,296	54,941	43,330	
Other fresh vegetables.....	15,214	11,535	7,569	4,119	11,489	29,560	32,053	23,718	15,987	16,256	
Other agricultural products.....	101,868	43,751	36,930	35,165	20,079	36,092	212,504	185,882	162,759	137,404	
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS.											
Horses.....	5,841	12,580	12,596	8,940	14,579	10,276	10,976	10,838	9,863	6,941	
Cattle and calves.....	53,996	42,775	39,585	37,626	55,986	72,734	99,553	100,842	57,469	43,749	
Sheep.....	3,119	3,037	1,777	659	1,986	5,904	13,270	7,667	3,713	2,711	
Hogs.....	28,977	24,612	22,602	21,857	14,000	11,678	18,457	22,482	22,990	24,196	
Dressed meats, Poultry (fresh).. (cured, salted).....	34,949	22,162	17,063	10,678	16,335	22,243	25,264	26,539	24,957	20,070	
Other packing house products (edible).....	17,781	14,815	17,774	16,246	14,044	11,342	8,507	18,613	17,278	15,726	
Eggs.....	3,811	3,033	2,969	3,093	3,814	3,981	5,396	6,446	6,343	6,429	
Butter and cheese.....	4,902	6,240	6,196	5,972	2,339	5,409	7,486	1,942	2,892	8,211	
Wool.....	3,678	2,036	2,321	3,962	12,381	8,083	6,085	3,579	2,753	2,503	
Hides and leather.....	2,516	2,356	2,578	2,150	4,680	3,574	3,299	2,986	2,799	2,118	
Other animal products.....	10,423	9,133	7,155	6,894	5,216	6,508	7,197	7,550	7,460	7,155	
Other animal products.....	12,149	11,438	10,907	8,697	9,158	7,525	10,070	10,419	9,775	6,840	
MINE PRODUCTS.											
Anthracite coal.....	318	449	120	274	609	702	983	863	983	1,055	
Bituminous coal.....	640,813	768,848	686,870	714,620	621,018	649,299	745,958	727,287	705,997	677,109	
Sub-bituminous coal.....	318,757	252,836	172,768	168,168	119,587	208,353	223,190	240,719	285,159	289,099	
Lignite coal.....	159,043	104,109	83,716	46,039	39,363	95,925	136,021	151,364	161,470	140,398	
Coke.....	96,483	104,459	85,793	86,781	98,291	56,804	107,051	131,394	118,059	96,059	
Iron ores.....	1,007	25,066	113,856	118,063	270,294	261,965	284,631	160,129	53,217	9,341	
Other ores and concentrates.....	264,622	240,590	242,704	234,946	257,768	260,913	324,403	306,014	337,996	345,870	
Base bullion and matte.....	73,482	88,122	83,581	96,745	67,249	77,342	73,304	86,741	82,186	80,941	
Gravel, sand, stone (crushed).....	181,738	164,111	293,218	447,477	552,840	580,070	583,706	489,753	277,998	181,277	
Slate and block stone.....	1,909	2,016	3,322	4,131	3,928	3,639	4,267	4,283	2,907	1,871	
Crude petroleum.....	13,478	10,764	15,613	31,197	19,463	18,916	18,762	18,263	16,610	16,886	
Asphalt.....	10,643	11,564	14,139	22,536	65,580	48,187	34,106	15,729	12,070	11,963	
Salt.....	28,349	31,321	30,980	34,266	20,754	26,718	28,892	36,920	45,730	43,072	
Other mine products.....	172,997	215,770	216,200	245,401	249,802	252,218	291,011	250,853	221,011	248,817	
FOREST PRODUCTS.											
Logs, posts, poles, cordwood.....	205,954	277,489	167,970	185,411	294,940	217,324	224,417	174,928	176,447	186,215	
Ties.....	3,780	4,008	5,952	7,270	10,079	13,132	8,303	9,565	5,631	2,306	
Pulpwood.....	710,451	870,879	412,480	429,122	612,463	447,846	303,368	296,065	334,720	710,283	
Lumber, timber, box, crate, and cooperage material.....	364,043	432,868	398,345	442,269	552,486	623,072	603,304	531,942	493,739	401,912	
Other forest products.....	16,449	25,187	19,103	22,429	39,232	34,493	29,368	28,073	52,237	20,762	

VI. Transportation—Concluded

23. RAILWAY FREIGHT LOADED IN TONS—Concluded

Commodity	1946										1947
	Jan.	Mar.	April	May	July	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	
MANUFACTURES AND MISCELLANEOUS—											
Gasoline, petroleum products.....	239,193	285,616	302,562	369,624	362,105	376,823	380,232	359,593	350,126	366,468	
Sugar.....	18,240	13,198	17,035	18,555	29,768	27,738	30,967	27,711	22,916	20,369	
Iron, pig and bloom.....	38,432	57,624	44,493	50,756	28,944	10,712	30,649	47,785	57,662	76,406	
Rails and fastenings.....	25,923	24,314	23,696	19,596	6,520	3,071	2,472	11,223	5,409	16,507	
Iron and steel (bar, etc.).....	89,580	110,108	97,664	109,804	72,358	35,520	81,107	95,964	87,931	99,398	
Castings, machinery and boilers.....	13,928	20,463	18,553	15,674	13,827	10,776	14,964	14,409	15,795	13,473	
Cement.....	24,464	49,111	110,325	150,942	143,396	113,876	115,204	90,395	87,519	41,304	
Brick and artificial stone.....	22,054	24,250	32,417	29,916	36,935	34,724	38,555	33,748	28,338	27,606	
Lime and plaster.....	33,200	38,046	42,618	46,792	41,012	36,774	40,578	42,177	39,469	40,457	
Sewer pipe and drain tile.....	2,154	4,484	5,307	4,511	6,577	5,970	5,800	4,664	4,129	2,893	
Agricultural implements and vehicles other than autos.....	18,789	23,279	22,484	20,985	22,477	11,960	18,798	17,974	18,228	20,065	
Automobiles and auto trucks.....	54,021	54,318	57,855	57,017	42,670	35,265	35,638	51,592	54,691	55,574	
Household goods.....	1,881	6,224	6,559	5,645	3,573	4,565	5,654	5,882	2,880	1,707	
Furniture.....	4,379	6,216	5,530	5,555	3,886	5,012	6,048	6,208	5,217	5,484	
Beverages.....	42,539	50,264	51,377	56,434	54,046	53,287	51,296	54,514	51,850	49,895	
Fertilizers, all kinds.....	161,016	231,226	224,047	205,305	84,297	169,166	165,688	143,159	135,381	140,208	
Paper, printed matter, books.....	289,592	337,740	336,120	317,100	308,126	300,594	328,751	302,528	339,769	338,513	
Wood-pulp.....	130,029	149,720	143,859	146,205	136,329	134,334	149,340	142,318	149,983	140,555	
Fish (fresh, frozen, cured).....	13,530	12,956	6,748	6,572	14,150	12,609	17,646	13,675	12,516	11,550	
Canned goods (all food products).....	46,842	83,421	88,992	41,326	43,436	66,357	74,413	82,470	74,789	57,376	
Other manufactures and miscellaneous.....	560,977	647,530	673,021	678,115	583,138	527,730	587,577	639,392	635,699	570,533	
Merchandise.....	228,779	282,822	286,085	274,579	246,554	249,562	271,132	257,066	241,304	240,786	
Grand Total 000 tons.....	7,648	8,154	7,712	7,891	7,759	9,034	10,050	9,475	8,096	7,854	

24. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS

Month	Canadian National								
	Operating Revenues	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	No. of Tons Carried	Ton Miles	Passengers Carried	Passengers Carried One Mile	Total Pay-roll	Number of Employees
	\$000	\$000	\$000	000 tons	000,000 tons	000,000	000,000 passengers	\$000	000
1945									
Aug....	33,953	26,454	7,010	5,899	2,616	2,563	340	17,916	98
Sept....	31,413	26,616	4,351	5,447	2,487	2,023	275	16,068	97
Oct....	32,402	27,758	4,087	5,965	2,658	1,850	229	16,833	98
Nov....	30,278	25,559	4,133	5,837	2,644	1,617	172	16,275	97
Dec....	31,959	26,317	5,040	5,093	2,585	2,095	224	15,960	96
1946									
Jan....	27,318	25,277	1,568	5,188	2,220	1,819	192	16,185	94
Feb....	25,500	23,969	1,165	4,912	1,973	1,746	164	15,506	96
Mar....	28,663	24,763	3,479	5,517	2,428	1,920	185	15,908	97
April....	27,804	23,291	4,039	5,091	2,029	1,773	178	15,043	90
May....	27,465	23,602	3,379	4,959	1,982	1,537	146	15,559	91
June....	27,095	23,445	3,953	5,089	2,026	1,741	201	15,392	93
July....	30,150	24,946	4,858	5,478	2,021	1,973	220	16,901	96
Aug....	30,608	28,269	1,820	5,625	2,173	1,986	230	16,762	97
Sept....	30,336	27,506	2,298	6,111	2,484	1,552	161	17,793	96
Oct....	32,678	28,998	3,062	6,620	2,683	1,512	134	23,953	97
Nov....	32,495	27,567	4,245	6,086	2,599	1,442	128	18,699	95
Dec....	30,990	28,728	1,507	5,334	2,538	1,830	165	17,729	93
1947									
Jan....	28,164	28,080	Dr. 440	5,302	2,287	1,795	132	18,363	95

VI. Transportation—Continued
24. RAILWAY OPERATING STATISTICS—Continued

Month	Canadian Pacific								
	Operating Revenues	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	No. of Tons Carried	Ton Miles	Passengers Carried	Passengers Carried One Mile	Total Pay-roll	Number of Employees
	\$000	\$000	\$000	000 tons	000,000 tons	000	000,000 passengers	\$000	000
1945									
Aug....	26,973	22,663	816	4,645	2,161	1,933	326	12,142	65
Sept....	26,191	21,910	2,711	4,485	2,252	1,290	259	11,386	64
Oct....	28,780	22,199	4,870	5,019	2,468	1,273	240	11,925	65
Nov....	25,955	21,504	3,324	4,698	2,294	1,197	221	11,585	65
Dec....	25,080	20,699	3,217	4,267	2,049	1,513	208	11,442	63
1946									
Jan....	23,472	20,781	1,218	4,190	2,019	1,341	196	11,652	64
Feb....	22,727	19,726	1,360	3,885	1,846	1,336	195	11,184	64
Mar....	25,360	21,343	1,699	4,435	2,150	1,403	197	11,919	65
April....	22,760	20,034	1,203	3,938	1,726	1,259	159	11,370	65
May....	22,739	20,478	1,048	3,968	1,654	1,135	161	11,622	66
June....	23,292	20,919	1,433	3,718	1,619	1,297	189	11,305	66
July....	24,222	21,246	1,490	3,849	1,658	1,578	226	11,858	64
Aug....	25,407	22,874	720	4,151	1,859	1,523	232	11,945	64
Sept....	26,048	26,259	Dr. 1,011	4,714	2,263	1,156	174	11,298	63
Oct....	26,856	20,855	4,816	5,172	2,401	1,089	126	11,754	64
Nov....	26,501	20,212	3,746	5,045	2,247	1,122	123	12,677	63
Dec....	25,161	20,058	3,120	4,237	2,039	1,345	148	12,939	64
1947									
Jan....	23,603	22,350	187	4,426	2,028	1,363	125	13,328	65

Month	All Railways								
	Operating Revenues	Operating Expenses	Operating Income	No. of Tons Carried	No. of Tons Carried One Mile	Passengers Carried	Passengers Carried One Mile	Total Pay-roll	Number of Employees
	\$000	\$000	\$000	000 tons	000,000 tons	000	000,000 passengers	\$000	000
1945									
Aug....	66,784	53,434	8,596	13,909	5,251	4,945	706	31,327	175
Sept....	62,769	52,681	7,828	13,041	5,159	3,702	569	29,334	172
Oct....	66,299	54,106	9,413	14,062	5,495	3,446	498	30,626	173
Nov....	61,247	51,281	7,745	13,592	5,298	3,118	425	29,719	172
Dec....	61,778	51,480	8,068	12,196	4,803	3,959	465	29,273	170
1946									
Jan....	55,797	52,637	135	12,453	4,644	3,516	424	29,771	169
Feb....	53,343	47,606	2,974	11,965	4,215	3,416	392	28,560	171
Mar....	59,128	50,016	5,556	13,250	4,981	3,630	412	29,587	171
April....	55,903	47,559	5,594	12,287	4,156	3,369	367	27,169	164
May....	55,459	48,170	4,890	11,928	3,983	2,970	335	28,949	166
June....	55,841	48,403	5,466	11,619	4,055	3,337	420	28,384	168
July....	60,029	50,585	6,899	12,255	4,048	3,942	484	30,835	170
Aug....	61,690	55,602	2,914	12,813	4,406	3,951	501	30,815	171
Sept....	62,174	58,379	1,735	14,010	5,142	3,114	373	31,834	169
Oct....	65,305	54,201	8,509	15,059	5,467	2,940	292	37,877	171
Nov....	64,791	52,362	8,400	14,405	5,267	2,862	279	33,686	169
Dec....	61,926	53,318	5,075	12,836	4,814	3,440	341	32,980	168
1947									
Jan....	57,565	55,375	Dr. 508	13,028	4,743	3,462	287	33,912	170

25. SHIPPING AT SIX LARGE PORTS

Net Registered Tonnage of Vessels Cleared

—	Saint John			Halifax			Quebec		
	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total
1945									
Sept.....	80,854	67,146	148,000	7,277	80,366	87,643	301,246	116,774	418,020
Oct.....	70,579	64,429	135,008	10,813	164,789	175,602	106,867	81,945	188,712
Nov.....	73,705	48,904	122,609	27,701	186,552	214,253	63,643	72,754	136,397
Dec.....	78,013	151,888	229,901	18,421	208,922	227,343	8,271	53,988	62,259
1946									
Jan.....	85,457	186,250	271,707	17,986	316,786	334,774			
Feb.....	59,193	150,945	210,138	35,047	240,981	276,028			
Mar.....	87,966	212,826	300,792	32,352	405,939	438,271	581		581
April.....	90,231	160,615	250,846	43,351	282,264	325,615	29,970	17,692	47,662
May.....	82,734	57,657	140,391	27,260	292,073	319,333	82,569	39,844	122,713
June.....	71,126	27,100	98,226	30,834	208,560	239,394	360,495	28,855	389,350
July.....	102,603	29,605	132,208	23,933	230,541	254,474	392,491	61,216	453,707
Aug.....	87,307	42,303	129,610	20,233	242,955	263,188	393,490	44,212	437,702
Sept.....	66,318	36,968	103,286	39,010	245,443	284,453	258,938	30,819	289,757
Oct.....	51,379	69,435	120,814	37,392	200,899	238,291	146,116	61,813	207,929
Nov.....	85,794	44,910	130,704	39,469	215,000	254,469	95,334	65,264	160,598
Dec.....	75,419	153,318	228,737	35,494	220,311	255,805	19,045	27,226	46,271
1947									
Jan.....	84,792	179,178	263,970	34,341	270,442	304,783	520		520
Feb.....	63,687	189,187	252,874	27,542	258,978	286,520			

—	Montreal			Toronto			Vancouver		
	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total	Coasting	External	Total
1945									
Sept.....	303,897	430,301	734,198	231,682	191,023	422,705	550,896	237,184	788,080
Oct.....	177,753	487,998	665,751	117,730	185,805	303,535	491,913	240,408	732,321
Nov.....	163,025	483,049	646,074	96,695	160,949	257,644	541,297	271,227	812,524
Dec.....	15,856	28,364	44,220	43,042	49,947	92,989	565,638	250,331	815,969
1946									
Jan.....							483,915	319,421	803,336
Feb.....							494,257	295,312	789,569
Mar.....				1,422		1,422	543,230	375,672	918,902
April.....	99,599	69,341	168,940	85,680	68,102	153,782	513,827	332,354	846,181
May.....	258,308	350,717	609,025	134,934	70,700	205,634	576,132	341,597	917,729
June.....	272,494	474,521	747,015	62,790	167,276	230,066	630,898	256,835	887,733
July.....	378,497	553,984	932,481	282,475	216,017	498,492	743,480	226,756	970,236
Aug.....	356,989	490,613	847,602	288,985	220,942	509,927	785,476	268,809	1,054,285
Sept.....	369,734	534,367	904,101	198,230	192,322	390,552	638,808	308,282	947,090
Oct.....	222,975	556,481	779,456	118,706	173,419	292,125	629,924	273,692	903,616
Nov.....	240,824	515,887	756,711	151,523	167,382	318,905	562,437	356,994	919,431
Dec.....	14,889	46,431	61,320	40,921	12,724	53,645	552,494	402,962	955,456
1947									
Jan.....							546,070	399,871	945,941
Feb.....							485,809	387,638	873,447

25. SHIPPING AT SIX LARGE PORTS—Concluded

Cargoes (in External Trade) Loaded and Unloaded
Tons Weight (2,000 lb.) Tons Measurement (40 cu. ft.)

Month	Saint John				Halifax				Quebec			
	Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded	
	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment
1945												
Sept.....	68,397	54,371	25,989	10,292	65,592	.....	19,554	.....	43,276	.....	62,988	.....
Oct.....	66,716	23,752	22,235	1,108	39,990	.....	26,523	.....	85,634	.....	60,118	.....
Nov.....	48,482	19,392	26,079	21,322	71,485	125	65,736	.....	54,521	.....	47,641	.....
Dec.....	223,185	38,353	47,296	9,161	100,875	9,658	83,120	.....	59,989	.....	.....	.....
1946												
Jan.....	290,561	23,976	63,884	19,383	174,313	12,309	61,834	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Feb.....	227,897	17,959	56,617	9,345	120,473	20,492	100,032	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mar.....	316,919	29,676	52,019	8,550	251,060	.....	150,777	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
April.....	226,482	12,876	53,400	8,166	156,388	.....	77,036	.....	27,747	.....	3,569	.....
May.....	76,232	7,462	30,367	5,888	103,593	192	95,894	.....	18,730	.....	21,075	.....
June.....	44,776	847	10,561	8,314	32,161	1,258	125,675	.....	29,957	.....	12,853	.....
July.....	28,115	33	19,785	1	45,499	92	57,660	.....	27,400	.....	51,643	.....
Aug.....	20,330	1,210	23,513	269	40,319	.....	152,570	.....	29,231	.....	43,656	.....
Sept.....	23,020	.....	19,706	1,689	31,183	.....	60,496	.....	22,215	.....	66,210	.....
Oct.....	48,007	46	29,806	120	66,217	.....	121,950	.....	42,780	.....	56,620	.....
Nov.....	35,927	.....	36,508	406	56,322	.....	74,664	.....	42,324	.....	35,096	.....
Dec.....	168,701	15,712	34,058	2,833	94,543	629	120,250	156	6,536	.....	9,233	.....
1947												
Jan.....	273,690	20,932	49,272	3,786	175,783	2,135	136,029	236	.....	.....	.....	.....
Feb.....	258,559	14,081	25,725	20,041	185,528	4,334	139,998	409	.....	.....	.....	.....

Month	Montreal				Toronto				Vancouver			
	Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded		Loaded		Unloaded	
	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment	Weight	Mea- sure- ment
1945												
Sept.....	462,434	76,832	345,590	2,933	.....	.....	262,383	.....	182,275	1,500	107,655	9,490
Oct.....	656,512	36,808	254,207	19,363	.....	.....	302,254	.....	183,868	5,876	94,306	.....
Nov.....	603,053	62,378	397,439	9,085	.....	.....	270,216	.....	204,802	.....	130,204	172
Dec.....	56,249	3,312	33,662	70	.....	.....	118,630	.....	184,906	11,764	110,075	48
1946												
Jan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	290,991	.....	133,548	.....
Feb.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	258,473	.....	91,823	.....
Mar.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	284,062	12,128	141,286	155
April.....	75,821	4,097	26,357	3,410	.....	.....	111,717	.....	287,789	.....	123,171	224
May.....	530,852	52,765	116,170	9,933	597	.....	95,268	.....	205,739	.....	194,764	622
June.....	644,425	73,123	243,035	13,205	494	.....	225,085	.....	128,070	349	120,185	870
July.....	464,052	97,846	428,339	7,252	358	.....	295,104	.....	74,933	985	114,790	7
Aug.....	398,696	39,002	549,300	11,994	873	30,629	318,532	.....	100,180	648	102,150	2
Sept.....	549,206	23,608	498,938	12,058	1,301	.....	265,669	.....	127,321	6	167,249	.....
Oct.....	560,465	71,414	608,574	2,612	918	.....	269,266	.....	180,464	440	136,355	363
Nov.....	585,789	45,080	468,403	3,600	789	.....	301,556	.....	250,600	950	130,797	1,044
Dec.....	63,214	7,437	20,520	304	.....	.....	56,221	.....	278,482	322	176,327	8
1947												
Jan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	344,145	75	164,980	2,696
Feb.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	218,670	517	148,782	299

26. CARLOADINGS

Month	Cars of Revenue Freight Loaded on Canadian Railways							
	Grain	Grain Products	Hay and Straw	Fruits, Fresh	Vegetables, Fresh or Green	Other Agricultural Products	Live Stock	Butter, Cheese, Eggs
1945								
Sept.....	46,236	12,733	1,997	3,006	3,656	695	11,795	883
Oct.....	57,369	13,982	2,795	3,563	7,389	3,880	15,959	890
Nov.....	48,257	14,346	3,467	1,466	5,677	3,077	15,806	697
Dec.....	29,953	12,972	3,619	1,264	3,295	1,620	10,369	612
1946								
Jan.....	27,850	13,304	3,238	981	2,966	1,308	9,776	540
Feb.....	19,771	12,641	2,760	565	2,300	800	8,201	508
Mar.....	27,624	14,192	2,919	502	3,322	823	9,821	408
April.....	25,810	13,571	1,613	440	2,184	664	8,610	502
May.....	24,800	14,247	1,772	186	1,454	759	7,951	601
June.....	21,890	13,227	1,102	397	759	460	8,240	641
July.....	20,699	12,847	933	736	1,788	490	9,668	854
Aug.....	32,546	13,552	1,233	2,933	2,208	661	11,258	625
Sept.....	45,267	14,397	1,710	4,940	4,329	883	10,084	666
Oct.....	50,917	16,235	2,562	7,170	8,357	3,577	15,570	771
Nov.....	44,079	16,202	3,019	3,719	5,479	3,608	14,707	364
Dec.....	26,498	14,913	2,740	2,606	3,349	2,584	8,323	399
1947								
Jan.....	23,239	14,890	2,659	1,818	3,376	1,723	7,832	716
Feb.....	17,169	12,923	2,168	1,244	3,065	840	6,488	564
Mar.....	25,081	14,398	2,495	639	4,725	924	7,858	494

Month	Fresh Meats and Packing House Products (edible)	Other Packing House Products	Other Animal Products	Coal	Coke	Ores and Concentrates	Base Bullion, Matte, Pig and Ingot (non-ferrous metals)	Sand, Stone, Gravel, Plaster, Lime, Brick, Cement, Sewer Pipe, Tile
1945								
Sept.....	2,240	217	676	20,932	3,418	8,774	1,843	15,524
Oct.....	3,191	300	599	23,003	3,197	10,106	2,016	16,760
Nov.....	3,652	324	575	29,239	2,774	8,739	1,732	12,746
Dec.....	3,568	341	525	25,534	3,085	5,911	1,431	9,336
1946								
Jan.....	2,990	223	596	27,511	2,779	5,973	1,370	8,429
Feb.....	2,311	167	496	25,356	3,121	5,678	1,316	6,771
Mar.....	2,209	195	429	24,448	3,520	6,861	1,568	9,883
April.....	1,864	197	490	18,841	2,459	8,264	1,653	14,195
May.....	1,774	185	603	20,751	2,759	8,144	1,486	18,340
June.....	1,829	200	552	19,790	3,508	10,864	1,723	18,881
July.....	2,043	191	797	19,240	2,931	10,452	1,879	19,100
Aug.....	2,361	190	851	22,160	2,611	11,486	1,751	19,431
Sept.....	2,240	203	917	23,032	2,237	11,481	1,404	18,522
Oct.....	2,726	272	1,196	26,398	3,247	12,970	1,599	20,014
Nov.....	3,379	271	767	27,559	3,196	10,610	1,846	16,879
Dec.....	2,835	242	574	26,993	3,326	6,070	1,827	10,905
1947								
Jan.....	2,117	293	710	25,807	2,453	6,961	1,969	9,902
Feb.....	1,792	173	507	19,011	2,153	7,177	1,436	9,664
Mar.....	1,781	179	503	17,189	2,434	7,870	1,604	12,088

26. CARLOADINGS—Concluded

Month	Cars of Revenue Freight Loaded on Canadian Railways							
	Other Mine Products	Logs, Piling, Cord-wood	Pulp-wood	Lumber, Lath, Shingles	Other Forest Products	Gasoline, Petroleum Oils and Products	Sugar	Iron and Steel Products (Manufactured)
1945								
Sept.....	3,225	4,618	12,435	15,287	2,877	12,031	933	5,592
Oct.....	3,582	4,776	9,596	16,322	3,007	12,136	1,440	5,667
Nov.....	3,282	5,575	8,127	13,875	3,727	10,561	1,192	5,746
Dec.....	3,300	5,147	11,530	11,386	3,327	9,631	883	5,073
1946								
Jan.....	2,722	5,580	23,614	10,536	2,442	9,953	1,135	5,737
Feb.....	2,739	6,443	23,558	10,114	2,274	9,387	745	4,742
Mar.....	3,184	6,916	20,610	12,127	2,534	11,405	836	6,392
April.....	3,667	4,225	10,135	11,157	2,450	12,188	938	6,343
May.....	4,371	4,252	11,679	13,145	3,562	15,600	982	6,774
June.....	3,888	4,826	17,674	14,502	3,443	14,289	983	6,253
July.....	4,323	6,731	20,093	19,903	3,600	15,849	1,115	4,320
Aug.....	4,196	6,494	17,581	20,982	3,832	17,188	1,115	3,296
Sept.....	4,203	5,382	13,968	18,557	3,086	15,817	1,022	3,553
Oct.....	4,889	5,688	11,229	18,992	3,457	15,722	1,213	5,352
Nov.....	4,564	4,755	9,252	17,181	5,142	14,924	1,132	6,275
Dec.....	4,284	4,518	12,319	13,593	2,973	14,452	876	5,916
1947								
Jan.....	4,299	4,978	22,871	13,674	2,370	14,282	845	6,850
Feb.....	3,414	4,741	23,036	13,336	1,922	12,236	790	6,476
Mar.....	5,299	5,928	21,213	14,699	2,321	14,121	758	7,482

Month	Cars of Revenue Freight Loaded on Canadian Railways							
	Implements, Tractors, Machinery, Boilers	Autos, Trucks and Parts	Fertilizers	Wood Pulp and Paper	Canned Food Products	Other Products of Manufactures and Miscellaneous	Merchandise L.C.L.	Total Revenue Cars Loaded
1945								
Sept.....	1,803	3,663	2,227	13,258	1,756	22,745	62,728	299,812
Oct.....	1,650	3,926	2,222	14,799	2,026	24,292	70,233	340,673
Nov.....	1,999	2,849	2,496	14,667	2,240	24,592	68,120	321,622
Dec.....	1,906	2,892	2,262	14,069	1,932	22,083	63,091	271,947
1946								
Jan.....	1,982	4,060	2,729	16,688	1,726	22,972	65,733	287,439
Feb.....	1,838	3,364	3,586	15,696	1,466	20,320	64,073	263,107
Mar.....	2,223	3,729	4,898	17,942	1,529	23,798	75,543	302,390
April.....	2,496	4,244	4,437	17,124	1,297	24,334	76,061	282,453
May.....	2,490	4,182	3,615	16,961	1,284	24,750	76,294	295,783
June.....	2,452	3,872	1,967	15,887	1,125	23,284	72,675	291,183
July.....	2,693	3,761	1,533	16,294	1,342	23,138	75,161	304,504
Aug.....	2,305	3,357	2,028	16,658	1,497	22,650	76,182	325,215
Sept.....	1,532	2,533	2,059	15,216	2,350	23,227	69,508	324,325
Oct.....	2,035	3,344	2,225	17,196	2,579	24,923	78,918	371,343
Nov.....	2,251	4,078	2,133	17,039	3,215	25,196	76,326	349,146
Dec.....	1,775	4,206	2,515	17,103	2,246	22,673	71,404	294,838
1947								
Jan.....	2,130	4,804	3,323	18,330	1,938	22,135	72,880	302,175
Feb.....	2,047	4,262	3,307	16,939	1,723	21,551	67,459	299,613
Mar.....	2,847	4,831	4,495	20,101	1,739	23,300	76,611	306,007

VII. Employment

27. UNADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH—1926=100

Classification	1946												1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.		
Eight Groups.....	167.0	163.9	169.3	169.9	173.6	172.8	175.5	178.1	182.7	185.7	181.0	188.7	180.3		
MANUFACTURING.....	182.6	184.9	186.2	184.7	187.2	184.2	187.2	188.4	192.8	194.2	190.6	193.9	194.5		
Animal products—edible.....	210.1	212.2	216.5	225.4	240.9	250.8	252.0	242.2	252.8	248.7	230.7	220.6	209.2		
Fur and products.....	153.0	157.8	161.3	161.2	154.2	159.7	160.7	168.8	173.0	169.8	150.7	142.2	148.2		
Leather and products.....	152.1	155.9	155.9	155.0	154.7	154.8	156.4	157.6	159.1	159.8	155.0	160.0	160.5		
Lumber and products.....	119.5	122.9	126.2	104.0	131.2	138.8	142.2	140.1	137.9	134.2	132.3	134.3	135.3		
Rough and dressed lumber.....	96.0	99.4	103.8	75.1	109.8	119.0	122.7	120.4	116.1	110.3	108.9	111.9	112.8		
Furniture.....	146.0	147.1	146.9	146.1	149.2	152.8	157.4	157.9	161.3	164.4	164.4	166.6	167.1		
Other lumber products.....	181.9	187.9	190.9	171.7	194.9	200.2	193.9	196.9	197.1	195.0	191.2	188.8	189.5		
Mineral instruments.....	35.9	36.9	37.4	37.7	37.9	38.0	38.3	38.5	38.6	39.4	39.8	41.4	41.6		
Plant products—edible.....	156.8	157.0	157.5	159.1	166.2	180.9	202.4	228.3	209.0	194.5	178.5	180.2	174.1		
Pulp and paper products.....	153.8	155.2	157.0	159.8	163.6	165.7	167.3	167.3	167.6	167.0	164.1	166.0	166.7		
Pulp and paper.....	134.9	137.4	140.8	145.4	149.7	153.5	155.2	153.4	151.4	149.0	145.5	147.6	149.1		
Paper products.....	236.4	235.2	235.0	236.2	242.0	240.6	244.0	250.3	252.9	252.7	248.2	255.0	255.8		
Printing and publishing.....	150.8	151.4	152.0	153.1	155.4	156.7	157.7	157.8	160.3	161.8	160.2	160.1	162.3		
Rubber products.....	186.1	188.5	187.1	186.2	182.4	109.9	110.0	113.6	161.3	161.3	188.7	189.8	193.5		
Textile products.....	166.3	167.5	166.1	164.5	158.2	156.8	161.1	165.2	167.8	169.5	165.3	172.2	174.8		
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	170.6	171.1	168.8	165.4	152.8	155.1	161.7	169.0	171.0	173.4	172.4	178.2	180.7		
Hosiery and knit goods.....	160.5	160.8	159.5	159.3	154.3	153.9	157.1	159.2	159.2	162.0	158.1	162.3	164.6		
Garments and personal furnishings.....	162.9	165.2	164.1	163.6	161.1	156.4	159.8	164.3	167.4	168.9	161.5	171.3	174.5		
Other textile products.....	172.2	174.0	173.8	173.0	172.6	168.6	169.7	169.7	171.6	170.7	168.6	171.0	172.3		
Tobacco.....	137.0	127.8	114.5	114.3	117.9	114.4	121.0	124.4	126.1	136.2	139.9	151.7	149.9		
Beverages.....	275.1	282.4	285.8	290.0	299.9	309.2	308.9	312.0	312.8	306.7	304.2	299.1	295.4		
Chemicals and allied products.....	323.5	327.2	323.8	325.6	334.4	317.3	313.2	315.6	328.3	331.2	324.6	328.0	327.5		
Clay, glass and stone products.....	154.9	160.3	162.9	167.2	172.9	170.5	167.0	162.2	164.3	173.0	171.9	179.1	178.8		
Electric light and power.....	161.9	165.2	168.4	175.8	184.1	191.4	193.0	189.4	184.8	182.0	178.2	175.0	175.4		
Electrical apparatus.....	285.6	281.9	290.2	291.4	295.7	255.0	270.1	270.1	305.1	317.0	323.2	331.3	335.3		
Iron and steel products.....	202.8	206.8	208.9	208.9	205.6	197.0	195.8	194.2	203.2	206.3	205.0	208.4	210.2		
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	254.1	257.4	259.0	257.3	255.9	190.9	184.5	182.4	245.5	250.4	260.0	260.8	259.6		
Machinery.....	229.2	232.5	232.7	234.2	233.7	236.0	234.2	237.8	339.7	249.7	253.2	256.4	255.7		
Agricultural implements.....	169.3	166.5	164.6	164.0	165.3	165.3	160.8	166.1	168.9	170.8	167.3	172.5	176.0		
Land vehicles.....	159.3	166.2	172.3	173.1	167.3	165.8	164.8	161.8	163.4	166.0	165.7	167.6	170.9		
Automobiles and parts.....	207.2	229.1	256.4	263.8	241.1	241.6	240.3	230.0	244.6	253.3	240.2	258.3	270.2		
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	638.7	544.6	535.0	527.4	509.7	490.8	477.1	475.1	478.4	474.4	453.1	474.0	478.3		
Heating appliances.....	153.5	163.0	191.6	185.0	194.1	198.3	196.2	194.6	200.8	203.5	196.3	208.2	206.9		
Iron and steel fabrication.....	177.1	176.3	178.7	181.1	182.1	178.9	181.7	181.1	175.2	185.9	187.5	193.1	198.2		
Foundry and machine shop products.....	210.9	222.8	220.4	213.6	211.0	209.0	216.6	215.3	218.1	221.8	217.0	224.3	227.3		
Other iron and steel products.....	228.5	222.7	220.8	221.0	222.7	218.5	219.4	217.1	223.3	221.4	218.9	222.4	221.9		
Non-ferrous metal products.....	286.6	291.0	293.7	291.3	293.2	285.4	287.5	285.2	228.5	304.1	307.8	316.4	320.6		
Non-metallic mineral products.....	214.7	217.0	217.4	225.1	226.6	213.1	240.2	212.0	208.8	206.7	204.9	207.5	210.4		
Miscellaneous.....	291.3	294.0	296.1	290.7	293.4	287.9	286.2	281.5	290.4	296.0	295.2	307.2	307.8		
LOGGING.....	339.5	303.6	223.9	198.7	197.0	188.5	193.5	241.7	298.8	353.9	365.7	376.0	373.5		
MINING.....	182.9	153.8	155.7	157.5	159.5	156.6	155.7	154.5	156.5	159.8	153.9	161.6	135.8		
Coal.....	96.9	96.0	94.6	93.7	93.9	92.4	92.8	93.7	93.8	97.2	89.1	97.7	49.5		
Metallic ores.....	270.9	273.6	276.2	280.3	278.3	266.7	266.4	262.6	269.4	272.0	274.1	287.9	294.1		
Non-metallic (except coal).....	150.1	161.7	177.4	184.5	201.0	209.4	202.4	197.2	199.4	202.7	191.3	185.7	169.0		
COMMUNICATIONS.....	128.4	132.4	135.4	141.4	146.4	151.1	152.9	151.9	153.6	154.7	155.3	155.1	156.6		
Telegraphs.....	134.6	133.9	134.0	137.3	139.5	138.3	139.6	137.7	136.3	137.0	133.8	133.4	133.5		
Telephones.....	126.2	131.4	135.2	141.8	147.6	153.8	155.8	155.0	157.0	158.6	159.3	159.7	161.5		
TRANSPORTATION.....	121.3	124.0	127.7	126.8	128.3	129.6	131.4	133.2	135.7	135.8	132.0	130.6	129.7		
Street railways and cartage.....	127.0	199.6	203.5	207.7	209.9	213.3	214.6	219.0	221.1	222.0	218.6	217.7	216.7		
Steam railways.....	109.1	109.8	108.9	106.9	107.2	109.3	110.3	110.5	112.9	111.7	112.8	111.2	111.4		
Shipping and stevedoring.....	77.0	86.4	106.6	103.6	108.0	104.1	108.9	114.2	117.3	121.3	99.1	90.4	93.2		
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	101.3	106.0	115.2	131.1	141.7	148.1	152.8	151.9	151.9	145.8	125.1	121.8	123.8		
Building.....	118.3	123.1	130.9	142.9	154.5	162.3	165.6	165.6	171.8	171.3	158.7	160.2	161.0		
Highway.....	95.6	106.8	138.1	167.0	180.6	190.0	199.0	201.8	194.4	181.4	136.3	115.5	112.0		
Railway.....	89.1	87.5	77.2	85.7	92.3	94.4	94.9	91.7	91.1	85.7	80.8	87.0	95.4		
SERVICES.....	211.7	217.1	219.1	224.3	233.3	239.8	239.3	235.1	224.0	227.0	223.7	224.8	226.4		
Hotels and restaurants.....	208.5	210.6	213.5	221.3	234.5	244.8	245.8	238.4	224.5	227.1	225.1	224.9	226.9		
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	218.0	229.4	230.0	230.3	231.0	229.9	226.6	228.7	225.8	227.4	221.1	224.7	225.3		
TRADE.....	179.9	184.8	186.7	187.7	191.1	190.0	192.1	196.8	201.3	212.0	212.3	198.5	197.6		
Retail.....	185.3	191.0	193.9	194.3	197.5	195.0	197.4	204.0	209.6	224.1	224.6	201.4	202.9		
Wholesale.....	167.0	169.9	169.9	172.3	175.9	178.1	179.8	180.6	182.0	183.8	183.7	184.8	185.4		

28. INDEX NUMBERS OF PAYROLLS BASED ON JUNE, 1941 AS 100

Industries	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
MANUFACTURING.....	135-3	138-7	137-1	134-3	138-5	137-5	140-1	143-0	147-5	153-6	141-8	156-8	159-5	
Animal products—edible.....	153-6	158-1	157-3	164-1	175-0	179-0	180-2	175-9	184-4	190-5	171-2	171-4	167-8	
Fur and products.....	141-P	147-0	141-3	146-4	140-3	150-4	154-6	160-7	171-3	170-8	131-4	137-1	150-9	
Leather and products.....	148-7	154-1	150-4	147-8	149-0	152-6	156-2	158-7	160-8	163-9	145-4	168-2	170-5	
Boots and shoes.....	147-4	152-3	148-8	146-8	147-8	153-5	156-7	159-4	160-2	163-9	144-3	166-0	166-6	
Lumber and products.....	135-8	138-4	139-9	108-4	148-9	161-7	165-6	168-1	165-8	160-4	143-4	162-1	169-7	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	119-2	121-2	123-9	82-0	135-3	151-5	155-6	157-6	152-5	142-8	129-1	146-7	154-7	
Furniture.....	130-8	133-1	130-9	147-1	154-0	159-2	166-4	172-6	173-7	181-7	162-2	155-2	190-7	
Other lumber products.....	174-9	179-4	181-1	157-2	187-8	196-5	197-3	192-7	199-0	197-2	172-3	190-3	198-7	
Plant products—edible.....	144-2	146-2	145-9	147-1	154-8	164-5	180-2	208-2	191-8	184-8	164-7	177-5	172-0	
Pulp and paper products.....	142-5	145-0	144-5	148-1	157-3	163-3	165-2	169-0	169-4	170-1	161-6	172-7	174-3	
Pulp and paper.....	138-8	140-2	141-8	150-6	164-0	174-3	176-2	179-1	176-4	174-0	164-4	175-4	177-3	
Paper products.....	161-2	161-9	161-2	161-2	166-0	167-9	170-2	177-8	182-6	186-0	169-3	192-9	183-7	
Printing and publishing.....	140-5	142-7	142-0	140-1	145-7	147-4	149-0	152-9	155-5	159-5	155-8	161-8	163-2	
Rubber products.....	195-4	195-9	192-4	184-5	156-1	111-7	119-2	128-2	180-0	225-1	209-4	226-1	239-0	
Textile products.....	135-9	139-3	134-9	132-0	127-0	130-8	137-3	139-2	143-2	148-0	128-7	154-1	158-6	
Thread, yarn and cloth.....	136-4	137-3	133-4	131-5	122-0	127-6	134-9	141-2	141-6	148-5	133-1	157-5	161-4	
Cotton yarn and cloth.....	116-3	116-7	112-9	113-7	87-9	93-6	104-4	115-4	117-3	118-5	109-1	127-4	130-8	
Woolen yarn and cloth.....	140-4	142-8	137-1	130-0	133-4	144-3	149-8	151-0	150-1	161-0	139-9	163-0	168-8	
Artificial silk and silk goods.....	172-3	172-1	170-5	169-0	170-6	174-4	179-7	184-2	180-2	193-5	169-6	209-1	212-7	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	136-0	141-0	137-3	132-7	128-2	135-2	142-7	145-9	144-7	153-9	126-9	157-2	160-6	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	137-2	142-6	136-9	134-1	131-6	132-7	139-4	136-1	146-9	149-1	126-8	154-2	160-0	
Other textile products.....	130-3	133-8	130-7	126-8	129-1	129-6	132-0	133-4	136-2	137-8	116-9	140-0	143-6	
Tobacco.....	173-3	162-3	152-8	155-1	142-9	159-1	170-0	176-4	177-1	194-1	153-8	213-5	210-1	
Beverages.....	157-8	159-8	165-4	165-9	171-4	174-0	180-0	186-3	187-6	186-8	184-0	186-3	182-8	
Chemicals and allied products.....	119-0	120-6	118-6	118-3	120-0	117-1	117-9	118-8	123-2	127-1	125-2	123-4	132-0	
Clay, glass and stone products.....	147-0	153-4	156-7	158-4	163-1	161-9	157-0	158-9	166-3	177-4	165-4	186-5	189-8	
Electric light and power.....	128-3	132-0	134-1	139-7	146-6	148-9	148-7	148-3	147-8	147-7	146-6	148-1	149-9	
Electrical apparatus.....	163-5	163-3	162-0	162-6	167-4	145-8	154-5	157-1	173-7	195-2	191-2	205-7	212-9	
Iron and steel products.....	123-6	128-5	126-4	123-1	123-1	117-8	117-8	118-9	126-3	133-7	122-3	138-2	141-4	
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	128-4	129-7	127-7	128-2	127-5	85-5	87-4	89-8	126-2	140-4	127-8	146-3	151-7	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	124-0	126-5	122-2	119-7	125-0	126-0	128-2	133-8	137-2	145-1	133-5	154-5	158-1	
Agricultural implements.....	205-0	205-5	202-9	198-6	209-3	220-2	196-7	219-1	220-2	233-8	231-1	240-0	250-2	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	104-5	113-3	114-6	111-2	107-8	106-5	106-1	106-4	108-9	117-7	111-7	120-8	122-8	
Automobiles and parts.....	77-8	99-4	107-0	99-1	95-3	94-7	91-7	89-5	94-0	109-6	101-5	115-6	121-4	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	175-8	179-0	167-9	161-1	160-5	156-0	148-9	151-6	158-0	152-2	128-5	153-3	159-8	
Heating appliances.....	149-9	151-7	145-9	138-7	149-4	151-7	152-3	149-2	155-9	164-7	138-9	171-7	173-6	
Iron and steel fabrication (n.e.s.).....	111-6	112-6	111-2	110-5	111-8	113-8	118-8	118-8	115-9	135-4	126-4	145-7	146-7	
Foundry and machine shop products.....	144-4	154-3	147-5	137-9	139-2	140-5	144-1	151-3	152-6	157-7	137-3	164-5	162-3	
Other iron and steel products.....	131-4	130-5	127-1	122-9	126-6	126-5	129-7	129-5	130-0	132-7	113-5	136-8	140-0	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	123-4	127-2	126-4	123-4	123-3	127-8	128-2	129-9	133-1	144-8	140-7	151-7	154-5	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	135-8	138-0	137-0	141-0	147-3	151-6	153-0	148-2	149-0	153-3	154-6	159-9	165-2	
Miscellaneous.....	154-9	158-2	187-0	180-8	185-7	181-0	180-1	178-3	184-8	191-3	181-2	200-6	205-1	
LOGGING.....	316-0	276-6	198-7	153-1	184-7	192-8	195-5	234-0	286-7	332-3	372-1	378-9	403-5	
MINING.....	108-6	109-0	107-1	109-7	112-3	108-8	109-0	111-0	112-1	113-6	96-6	120-0	104-3	
Coal.....	168-2	166-2	152-7	153-3	156-3	150-0	154-4	159-9	160-0	167-2	115-0	174-3	90-0	
Metallic ores.....	83-5	84-2	84-5	86-9	88-8	84-1	82-9	84-2	85-6	86-0	82-3	94-8	100-8	
Non-metallic minerals (except coal).....	126-9	131-8	144-1	151-3	157-7	167-1	166-2	165-3	168-5	159-4	141-5	150-0	157-5	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	160-0	162-8	170-1	174-8	179-2	184-9	185-9	189-8	194-2	193-8	196-9	196-8	199-5	
Telegraphs.....	148-9	145-4	149-8	150-4	152-6	157-7	156-4	166-2	165-7	169-0	169-5	166-7	172-3	
Telephones.....	162-9	167-6	175-7	181-7	186-8	192-7	195-8	196-5	202-5	200-7	204-6	205-5	207-3	
TRANSPORTATION.....	153-3	152-3	154-9	151-5	154-9	158-6	161-9	171-0	173-2	180-3	175-8	177-2	178-3	
Street railways.....	161-4	160-9	164-1	167-6	171-9	173-8	177-7	187-3	186-7	190-1	187-3	194-0	195-1	
Steam railways.....	160-9	157-5	155-2	147-8	149-6	156-4	159-2	165-3	168-1	176-1	177-9	176-9	180-6	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	102-2	111-6	134-9	136-2	144-2	137-3	143-6	164-8	168-9	178-7	143-2	144-9	134-3	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	101-6	104-4	111-3	126-9	138-7	148-4	153-7	183-7	155-5	149-7	124-7	127-6	133-8	
Building.....	100-5	104-8	107-1	115-0	127-1	138-5	141-1	145-4	150-5	149-2	121-5	138-4	145-7	
Highway.....	81-7	88-7	100-5	137-3	152-7	162-1	170-6	169-8	161-8	149-8	129-0	101-0	161-3	
Railway.....	136-2	129-2	122-0	134-9	140-7	147-2	152-8	144-9	156-0	150-8	137-7	147-7	161-1	
SERVICES.....	160-9	163-9	166-0	167-9	176-6	180-3	181-7	183-1	177-4	183-9	178-4	183-7	189-2	
Hotels and restaurant.....	173-2	170-8	174-6	179-2	193-0	199-4	201-2	201-5	191-0	199-9	199-5	200-3	207-8	
Personals (chiefly laundries).....	143-7	150-3	154-2	152-0	153-5	153-4	154-1	157-2	158-1	161-2	148-5	160-3	163-1	
TRADE.....	137-6	141-4	143-2	144-5	148-9	150-1	151-3	154-6	158-6	165-1	166-6	163-1	164-5	
Retail.....	130-1	140-2	142-6	143-8	148-6	149-4	150-4	154-1	159-1	167-7	169-0	162-0	162-5	
Wholesale.....	141-1	143-8	144-4	146-4	149-8	151-6	153-2	156-1	157-4	159-6	161-3	165-2	168-6	
EIGHT LEADING INDUSTRIES.....	137-3	139-1	137-6	136-6	141-9	143-1	145-6	149-8	154-4	159-9	150-2	160-6	162-7	

29. OTHER LABOUR FACTORS, IMMIGRATION

Month	LABOUR FACTORS							IMMIGRATION	
	Employment ¹			Strikes and Lockouts			Per-centage Unem-employment in Trade Unions	Total	Returned Canadians from U.S.
	Applica-tions	Vacancies	Place-ments	Disputes in Existence	Number of Em-ployees	Time Lost in Working Days			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	p.c.	No.	No.
1945									
July.....	215,073	228,890	137,510	27	11,975	45,497	0.5	1,315	247
Aug.....	194,587	203,348	109,564	27	13,190	41,123	.....	1,715	262
Sept.....	236,712	211,149	125,633	17	19,819	184,556	.....	1,551	276
Oct.....	282,877	237,505	147,197	18	25,868	419,242	1.4	1,520	344
Nov.....	241,984	165,636	113,390	24	31,054	422,673	.....	1,422	197
Dec.....	166,070	110,275	70,547	13	19,619	261,619	.....	1,481	270
1946									
Jan.....	208,346	144,401	65,374	12	2,957	18,948	3.0	2,794	219
Feb.....	158,329	107,405	50,555	19	3,594	11,891	.....	2,281	230
Mar.....	151,501	129,539	57,078	28	5,976	46,068	.....	7,663	215
April.....	165,791	180,000	82,008	24	6,907	47,116	1.9	6,339	277
May.....	141,563	162,771	73,398	35	47,730	564,925	.....	7,691	317
June.....	152,622	155,144	81,702	36	70,688	935,188	.....	7,146	479
July.....	179,011	180,926	89,919	42	49,732	918,285	1.3	9,127	474
Aug.....	145,482	162,487	70,193	33	42,407	867,252	.....	9,401	651
Sept.....	149,544	178,246	72,431	33	33,030	657,601	.....	6,550	526
Oct.....	186,357	207,328	92,992	27	32,919	393,206	1.0	4,760	528
Nov.....	162,422	155,553	71,961	18	8,166	38,890	.....	4,629	357
Dec.....	157,579	128,681	61,551	10	2,256	25,804	.....	3,942	724
1947									
Jan.....	162,132	118,696	57,139	12	3,302	28,519	1.5	2,760	.....
Feb.....	132,923	114,749	50,806	20	33,737	199,679	.....	.....	.....
Mar.....	156,887	155,328	70,193	18	15,931	378,057	.....	.....	.....

¹ Statistics are given for four or five-week periods. See Labour Gazette for further information.

VII. Employment—Continued

30. VITAL STATISTICS (1) AND SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDEXES OF EMPLOYMENT, FIRST OF MONTH, 1926=100

Month	Vital Statistics			Maritime Provinces	Quebec	Ontario	Prairie Provinces	British Columbia
	Births	Marriages	Deaths					
1945								
July.....	12,544	6,576	4,792	170.9	178.4	176.4	140.4	173.1
Aug.....	11,305	5,475	4,578	169.6	177.2	174.9	139.4	167.8
Sept.....	11,259	6,081	4,551	167.2	171.3	172.1	136.6	169.4
Oct.....	11,998	5,841	5,019	165.1	167.6	163.9	134.9	164.1
Nov.....	10,794	4,614	4,980	171.3	168.0	166.8	140.4	169.3
Dec.....	11,127	4,891	5,440	185.6	171.0	171.2	151.6	174.7
1946								
Jan.....	11,677	3,781	5,867	171.3	177.3	179.6	157.3	177.4
Feb.....	10,697	4,089	5,186	170.8	177.3	179.2	155.2	173.0
Mar.....	11,539	4,065	5,333	170.9	179.7	176.8	156.3	167.9
April.....	13,281	4,734	5,125	176.4	186.1	180.2	160.8	169.3
May.....	13,769	6,041	5,116	175.7	178.5	178.8	158.8	165.8
June.....	13,479	8,819	4,572	173.7	174.6	177.2	155.5	136.7
July.....	14,186	7,575	4,956	169.1	172.5	176.2	153.4	154.2
Aug.....	14,802	6,783	4,605	161.9	172.6	173.0	152.3	158.2
Sept.....	14,218	7,869	4,504	165.9	174.5	172.9	150.4	163.2
Oct.....	14,825	5,841	5,000	171.1	176.6	172.7	147.4	168.1
Nov.....	14,180	4,614	5,162	173.8	177.1	179.3	152.9	177.4
Dec.....	14,445	5,170	5,153	184.7	182.9	186.7	162.3	187.8
1947								
Jan.....	14,280	3,662	5,658	171.3	193.6	194.5	165.7	195.1
Feb.....	14,045	4,939	3,979	172.6	195.1	193.9	165.8	196.2
Mar.....	16,047	3,180	5,590	154.9	196.9	192.1	167.3	194.1

(1) Cities of 10,000 or over.

VII. Employment—Continued

31. INDEX NUMBERS OF EMPLOYMENT IN CITIES, 1926=100

Month	Without Seasonal Adjustment							
	Montreal	Quebec	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
1945								
Sept.....	169.2	210.7	179.8	156.7	168.9	258.4	139.9	229.7
Oct.....	164.5	196.3	173.3	156.2	168.4	162.9	140.7	209.3
Nov.....	164.9	189.6	174.7	159.0	169.2	162.2	146.1	207.4
Dec.....	165.7	173.3	177.7	168.0	172.6	123.7	150.4	206.3
1946								
Jan.....	158.6	167.1	173.0	168.6	169.8	181.3	147.6	197.9
Feb.....	159.0	158.9	174.1	164.8	170.5	228.1	141.6	192.8
Mar.....	161.1	159.4	174.8	167.0	168.9	226.9	141.2	187.1
April.....	164.0	162.7	177.5	170.4	172.3	255.7	142.7	189.7
May.....	165.6	162.8	177.4	171.9	172.8	263.8	144.6	191.3
June.....	169.0	164.4	176.8	170.8	173.0	266.7	145.7	179.8
July.....	169.9	167.7	176.9	173.1	175.9	241.2	149.9	191.8
Aug.....	168.1	171.5	174.5	175.7	144.7	237.1	151.7	194.0
Sept.....	172.7	172.5	176.4	177.3	141.7	232.6	153.4	201.2
Oct.....	173.2	173.8	178.2	179.9	142.1	229.6	155.6	204.1
Nov.....	174.4	175.0	181.5	180.6	172.9	240.7	159.8	210.0
Dec.....	177.9	174.2	187.2	183.7	176.2	244.4	161.9	216.4
1947								
Jan.....	174.1	169.5	185.5	184.4	174.9	238.4	154.3	212.9
Feb.....	173.9	164.9	185.0	177.6	177.6	243.6	152.2	214.0
Mar.....	174.9	166.3	187.2	175.7	177.8	250.0	151.8	214.5

32. EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS, JUNE 1, 1941=100

Month	Manufacturing								Logging
	Total		Durable Goods		Non-Durable Goods		Electric Light and Power		
	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	
1945									
Sept....	118.2	148.0	122.1	154.2	114.7	142.7	108.7	121.7	114.6
Oct....	112.1	140.4	108.1	137.2	116.3	145.5	106.9	122.9	129.6
Nov....	110.9	139.3	105.9	134.5	115.8	145.7	108.9	124.3	175.0
Dec....	109.6	136.7	103.1	129.6	115.9	145.7	109.9	128.8	206.4
1946									
Jan....	107.1	121.2	101.9	113.3	112.0	130.1	109.5	125.7	217.6
Feb....	108.5	135.4	103.8	129.9	113.7	142.3	106.7	127.0	217.0
Mar....	108.7	135.3	103.8	128.7	113.5	143.3	108.0	128.3	214.5
April....	110.1	138.7	105.7	132.8	114.3	145.8	110.2	132.0	191.8
May....	110.8	137.1	107.3	131.7	114.2	143.8	112.3	134.1	141.4
June....	109.9	134.3	104.4	125.4	114.9	144.4	117.3	139.7	122.4
July....	111.4	138.5	107.3	131.2	114.9	146.5	122.8	146.6	124.4
Aug....	109.6	137.5	103.8	127.4	114.6	148.6	127.7	148.9	119.1
Sept....	111.4	140.1	104.2	128.1	117.7	153.4	128.8	148.7	122.2
Oct....	112.1	143.0	103.3	129.9	120.1	157.8	126.4	148.3	152.7
Nov....	114.2	147.5	106.5	136.5	121.1	160.1	124.5	147.8	181.7
Dec....	115.6	153.6	109.2	143.9	121.6	165.2	121.4	147.7	223.6
1947									
Jan....	113.5	141.5	108.8	132.6	117.9	151.6	118.9	147.9	231.0
Feb....	115.4	156.8	110.7	145.9	120.0	170.2	116.7	148.1	237.5
Mar....	115.8	159.5	111.7	152.8	119.7	168.0	117.0	149.7	235.9

VII. Employment—Continued

32. EMPLOYMENT AND PAYROLLS, JUNE 1, 1941=100—Concluded

Month	Logging	Mining		Communications		Transportation		Construction and Maintenance	
	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls
1945									
Sept...	158.2	81.2	98.5	127.0	148.9	129.9	156.1	89.1	119.8
Oct....	179.1	81.0	100.4	127.0	148.9	128.8	156.9	89.7	120.4
Nov....	230.7	81.7	100.2	128.8	152.3	128.9	155.0	94.0	126.8
Dec....	263.0	84.9	105.2	130.3	153.3	129.6	156.1	95.0	125.9
1946									
Jan....	299.4	84.1	97.7	130.8	156.3	126.7	151.2	77.5	97.8
Feb....	285.0	85.1	106.4	131.0	155.6	123.7	148.4	73.7	100.1
Mar....	316.0	86.3	108.6	132.1	160.0	122.8	153.3	72.9	101.6
April...	276.6	86.8	109.0	136.2	162.8	125.5	152.3	76.3	104.4
May....	198.7	88.0	107.1	139.3	170.1	129.3	154.9	82.9	111.3
June....	153.1	89.9	109.7	145.5	174.8	128.3	151.5	94.3	126.9
July....	184.7	90.0	112.3	150.6	179.2	129.9	154.9	101.8	138.5
Aug....	192.8	88.4	108.8	155.5	184.9	131.2	158.6	106.5	148.4
Sept....	195.5	87.9	109.0	157.3	186.9	133.0	161.9	109.6	153.7
Oct....	234.0	87.2	111.0	156.3	189.8	134.8	171.0	109.5	153.7
Nov....	286.7	88.5	112.1	157.9	196.2	137.3	173.2	109.7	155.5
Dec....	332.3	90.2	113.6	159.2	193.8	137.4	180.3	104.9	149.7
1947									
Jan....	380.5	86.9	96.6	159.8	196.9	133.6	175.8	92.9	121.3
Feb....	378.9	91.2	120.0	159.6	196.8	132.2	176.3	87.6	128.0
Mar....	403.5	76.6	104.3	161.1	199.5	131.3	178.3	89.1	133.8

Month	Services		Trade		Eight Leading Industries		Finance		Nine Leading Industries	
	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls	Employment	Aggregate Payrolls
1945										
Sept...	124.7	154.0	104.6	127.3	113.2	141.1	112.0	130.2	113.2	140.6
Oct....	123.8	154.7	112.6	130.9	110.5	137.8	115.4	136.4	110.7	137.7
Nov....	123.2	154.7	115.9	134.3	112.1	139.3	116.0	137.4	112.3	139.2
Dec....	123.6	156.5	122.6	139.6	113.4	139.5	116.3	137.7	113.6	139.3
1946										
Jan....	121.3	148.3	123.5	140.2	110.2	127.6	116.7	138.2	110.4	128.1
Feb....	123.1	155.8	113.9	135.0	109.5	135.1	117.1	139.1	109.8	125.7
Mar....	122.9	160.9	114.7	137.6	109.4	137.3	120.4	145.4	109.8	137.6
April...	126.1	163.9	117.9	141.4	110.6	139.1	123.6	148.1	111.1	139.5
May....	127.2	166.0	119.1	143.2	110.9	137.6	123.5	148.6	111.3	138.0
June....	130.3	167.9	119.7	144.5	111.3	136.6	123.9	149.3	111.8	137.0
July....	135.3	176.4	121.9	148.9	113.7	141.9	124.2	149.3	114.1	142.2
Aug....	139.3	180.3	121.2	150.1	113.2	143.1	124.5	149.7	113.7	143.4
Sept....	139.0	181.7	125.5	151.3	114.9	145.6	127.3	154.3	115.4	145.9
Oct....	136.5	183.1	125.5	154.6	116.6	149.8	128.3	158.3	117.1	150.1
Nov....	131.0	177.4	128.2	158.6	119.1	154.4	128.4	158.2	119.5	154.6
Dec....	131.7	183.9	135.2	165.1	121.6	159.9	128.7	158.7	121.9	159.9
1947										
Jan....	129.9	178.4	135.4	166.5	118.8	149.9	128.6	159.1	119.2	150.5
Feb....	130.5	183.7	125.3	163.1	118.6	160.6	130.7	164.7	119.1	160.7
Mar....	131.5	189.2	126.0	164.5	118.1	162.7	130.4	165.7	118.6	162.9

VII. Employment—Continued

33. AVERAGE PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS PAID ON OR ABOUT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS

Month	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brun- swick	Quebec	Ontario	Manitoba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Columbia
1945									
Sept....	26.99	30.87	29.20	30.85	32.49	32.54	31.44	33.58	34.71
Oct.....	26.76	30.83	29.35	30.95	32.39	32.39	31.34	33.53	35.13
Nov.....	27.28	30.15	29.00	30.75	32.43	32.50	31.29	33.40	35.07
Dec.....	27.09	30.26	28.74	30.38	32.03	32.35	31.40	33.49	34.71
1946									
Jan.....	26.35	28.93	29.32	28.55	29.93	31.21	31.06	32.84	32.17
Feb.....	26.15	31.01	29.65	30.58	32.34	32.45	31.86	33.95	34.72
Mar.....	26.15	31.75	30.40	31.45	32.41	33.22	32.67	34.59	35.60
April....	27.37	32.17	30.43	31.31	32.77	32.75	32.13	33.92	35.23
May.....	26.87	30.83	29.40	30.74	32.43	32.64	31.86	33.72	35.10
June....	26.28	30.60	29.75	30.76	31.88	32.66	31.65	33.49	34.11
July....	27.63	30.76	30.00	30.91	32.71	32.83	31.73	33.49	35.46
Aug.....	27.53	29.93	30.17	31.60	33.02	33.05	32.36	33.62	35.86
Sept....	26.72	29.79	30.15	31.76	32.98	33.29	32.79	34.21	35.91
Oct.....	28.16	30.40	30.56	32.04	33.40	33.95	33.06	34.72	36.73
Nov.....	28.58	30.98	30.51	32.31	33.58	34.06	33.15	35.07	36.50
Dec.....	29.98	31.31	30.19	32.65	34.77	34.84	34.03	35.40	36.27
1947									
Jan.....	27.61	27.13	31.26	31.37	33.35	33.78	34.26	34.37	34.57
Feb.....	28.20	33.50	32.54	33.42	35.93	35.50	35.12	36.10	36.93
Mar.....	29.16	32.39	32.95	34.11	36.45	35.79	35.57	36.32	37.97

Month	Montreal	Quebec City	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
1945								
Sept.....	32.00	28.22	32.66	28.27	32.42	39.67	29.90	33.37
Oct.....	32.10	28.86	32.54	28.47	32.82	39.74	29.53	33.61
Nov.....	32.20	29.06	32.64	28.55	32.42	39.39	29.77	33.62
Dec.....	32.02	27.10	32.39	27.91	32.59	39.08	29.74	33.11
1946								
Jan.....	28.69	25.67	30.67	26.46	29.96	34.17	28.19	30.46
Feb.....	31.75	27.39	32.39	27.77	32.16	42.12	30.00	33.00
Mar.....	32.10	27.54	32.58	28.30	32.54	36.48	30.53	33.31
April....	32.08	27.53	32.84	28.13	32.73	41.84	31.37	32.74
May.....	31.40	27.10	32.62	27.90	32.35	40.66	30.20	32.80
June....	31.61	26.95	32.20	28.00	31.34	36.29	30.38	32.42
July....	31.22	27.05	32.93	28.63	32.35	37.16	30.52	33.16
Aug.....	31.96	28.29	32.96	28.80	32.65	37.03	30.53	33.03
Sept....	32.39	28.23	33.16	28.84	34.62	37.33	30.63	33.19
Oct.....	32.84	28.46	33.41	29.30	32.59	35.86	30.77	34.34
Nov.....	33.33	28.70	33.59	29.46	33.17	36.90	31.07	34.55
Dec.....	33.52	29.31	34.39	29.65	35.04	40.71	31.70	34.48
1947								
Jan.....	31.25	27.94	33.17	28.98	33.36	40.05	30.48	32.85
Feb.....	33.96	28.72	35.42	30.89	36.30	42.94	32.64	35.07
Mar.....	34.34	29.86	35.82	31.15	37.21	43.23	32.82	35.75

VII. Employment—Continued

36. AGGREGATE WEEKLY EARNINGS PAID ON OR ABOUT FIRST OF MONTH,
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Month	Canada 8 Groups	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brun- swick	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Col- umbia
1945										
Sept...	56,530	73	2,468	1,484	16,442	23,449	3,026	1,290	2,340	5,957
Oct....	55,324	68	2,405	1,482	16,176	22,776	3,020	1,288	2,341	5,767
Nov....	55,952	69	2,452	1,540	16,429	22,970	5,107	1,316	2,356	5,714
Dec....	55,962	70	2,531	1,636	16,282	22,900	3,167	1,344	2,416	5,615
1946										
Jan....	51,282	65	2,138	1,579	14,000	21,373	2,988	1,269	2,312	4,957
Feb....	54,349	66	2,245	1,555	15,463	23,273	2,986	1,218	2,355	5,188
Mar....	55,249	65	2,295	1,568	16,057	23,332	3,059	1,249	2,400	5,225
April..	55,932	69	2,343	1,612	16,082	23,867	3,052	1,222	2,381	5,304
May....	55,413	74	2,286	1,540	15,598	23,802	3,059	1,283	2,387	5,385
June....	54,969	72	2,320	1,622	16,016	23,600	3,105	1,329	2,465	4,440
July....	57,193	77	2,387	1,661	16,212	24,380	3,211	1,363	2,558	5,344
Aug....	57,620	81	2,250	1,589	16,725	23,945	3,278	1,423	2,627	5,702
Sept....	58,775	81	2,240	1,639	17,248	24,120	3,336	1,447	2,685	5,979
Oct....	60,327	81	2,375	1,689	17,703	24,771	3,438	1,458	2,644	6,167
Nov....	62,078	82	2,521	1,685	18,217	25,633	3,517	1,504	2,676	6,242
Dec....	64,448	86	2,599	1,705	18,754	27,055	3,619	1,540	2,734	6,355
1947										
Jan....	60,730	75	2,040	1,778	17,611	25,872	3,368	1,439	2,620	5,926
Feb....	64,985	73	2,424	1,777	18,764	28,051	3,484	1,413	2,702	6,296
Mar....	65,934	75	1,885	1,799	19,266	28,669	3,537	1,458	2,702	6,543

Month	Montreal	Quebec City	Toronto	Ottawa	Hamilton	Windsor	Winnipeg	Vancouver
1945								
Sept.....	8,400	899	7,758	588	1,805	1,413	1,774	2,769
Oct.....	8,196	831	7,474	590	1,821	802	1,762	2,547
Nov.....	8,261	808	7,545	603	1,808	881	1,853	2,633
Dec.....	8,239	689	7,590	612	1,849	629	1,898	2,491
1946								
Jan.....	7,067	627	7,024	592	1,677	855	1,767	2,187
Feb.....	7,840	639	7,441	607	1,807	1,325	1,797	2,297
Mar.....	8,069	644	7,559	630	1,811	1,146	1,828	2,269
April.....	8,197	657	7,752	637	1,859	1,478	1,834	2,258
May.....	8,123	647	7,696	637	1,845	1,479	1,848	2,278
June.....	8,331	650	7,573	635	1,790	1,335	1,874	2,112
July.....	8,295	667	7,751	658	1,875	1,246	1,938	2,328
Aug.....	8,414	711	7,651	661	1,576	1,214	1,961	2,326
Sept.....	8,772	716	7,787	680	1,526	1,197	1,993	2,436
Oct.....	8,922	728	7,924	699	1,526	1,137	2,027	2,538
Nov.....	9,110	740	8,160	737	1,697	1,228	2,096	2,640
Dec.....	9,335	749	8,571	726	2,011	1,372	2,177	2,741
1947								
Jan.....	8,565	703	8,229	712	1,928	1,319	2,000	2,594
Feb.....	9,313	712	8,755	736	2,125	1,446	2,097	2,762
Mar.....	9,450	741	8,962	730	2,190	1,499	2,118	2,850

VII. Employment—Continued

35. AGGREGATE WEEKLY PAYROLL AT FIRST OF MONTH
IN THOUSANDS DOLLARS

Classification	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
Nine Groups.....	57,770	58,500	57,995	57,464	59,787	60,221	61,456	63,977	64,598	67,263	63,504	67,926	68,838	
MANUFACTURING.....	31,029	31,823	31,477	30,825	31,798	31,541	32,173	32,816	33,735	35,155	32,571	35,996	36,650	
Durable goods.....	15,378	15,870	15,718	14,985	15,675	15,277	15,374	15,568	16,213	17,203	15,926	17,812	18,292	
Non-durable goods.....	14,860	15,135	14,926	14,976	15,211	15,342	15,675	16,327	16,503	17,035	15,718	17,239	17,995	
Animal products, edible.....	1,367	1,403	1,398	1,454	1,524	1,589	1,602	1,564	1,641	1,700	1,523	1,524	1,492	
Fur and products.....	110	119	116	120	116	124	127	132	141	141	109	114	126	
Leather and products.....	794	826	809	796	801	821	841	854	865	882	783	906	916	
Boots and shoes.....	468	487	477	471	472	489	502	510	515	527	464	533	535	
Lumber and its products.....	1,893	1,936	1,960	1,519	2,088	2,258	2,331	2,346	2,330	2,260	2,024	2,304	2,416	
Rough and dressed lumber.....	1,033	1,053	1,053	716	1,183	1,315	1,367	1,358	1,341	1,256	1,140	1,306	1,381	
Furniture.....	580	586	590	371	389	402	430	434	443	459	410	498	483	
Plant products—edible.....	1,455	1,480	1,477	1,491	1,565	1,688	1,830	2,101	1,929	1,870	1,678	1,812	1,758	
Pulp and paper products.....	3,367	3,428	3,422	3,501	3,734	3,838	3,922	4,005	4,023	4,039	3,843	4,116	4,165	
Pulp and paper.....	1,591	1,627	1,630	1,722	1,894	1,976	2,036	2,063	2,036	2,008	1,898	2,029	2,051	
Paper products.....	521	526	524	524	540	545	554	579	595	602	546	635	641	
Printing and publishing.....	1,255	1,275	1,267	1,254	1,300	1,317	1,332	1,364	1,391	1,429	1,399	1,452	1,473	
Rubber products.....	778	780	766	735	681	445	475	510	599	826	834	941	952	
Textile products.....	3,608	3,699	3,582	3,507	3,373	3,476	3,547	3,698	3,806	3,927	3,421	4,097	4,216	
Hosiery and knit goods.....	539	557	542	524	505	537	560	570	567	594	518	615	629	
Garments and personal furnishings.....	1,272	1,324	1,271	1,245	1,222	1,232	1,295	1,267	1,362	1,383	1,178	1,434	1,488	
Tobacco.....	274	259	244	248	230	253	271	282	283	310	245	341	335	
Beverages.....	537	544	563	562	534	596	617	635	638	634	628	636	624	
Chemicals.....	1,450	1,460	1,418	1,432	1,456	1,418	1,427	1,439	1,542	1,542	1,520	1,561	1,584	
Electrical apparatus.....	1,401	1,399	1,388	1,394	1,413	1,264	1,326	1,350	1,395	1,685	1,658	1,754	1,818	
Iron and steel products.....	10,078	10,461	10,301	10,033	10,039	9,642	9,906	9,734	10,289	10,893	9,963	11,256	11,517	
Crude rolled and forged products.....	1,272	1,285	1,273	1,279	1,284	920	914	910	1,319	1,514	1,378	1,548	1,508	
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	886	896	896	858	836	823	925	966	954	1,062	980	1,139	1,179	
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	3,802	4,114	4,150	4,037	3,912	3,862	3,851	3,855	3,947	4,264	4,049	4,378	4,517	
Automobiles and parts.....	1,131	1,439	1,550	1,435	1,379	1,370	1,323	1,287	1,356	1,577	1,464	1,662	1,833	
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	1,051	1,072	999	965	953	930	854	900	948	901	748	893	935	
Non-ferrous metal products.....	1,428	1,473	1,456	1,423	1,486	1,453	1,464	1,502	1,540	1,664	1,623	1,749	1,780	
Non-metallic mineral products.....	630	640	636	635	670	629	632	628	631	652	642	658	660	
Electric light and power.....	792	818	833	864	911	921	923	921	929	917	931	946	962	
Logging.....	2,983	2,627	1,936	1,463	1,737	1,831	1,866	2,204	2,628	3,115	3,548	3,623	3,871	
Mining.....	2,858	2,872	2,821	2,878	2,963	2,889	2,875	2,932	2,969	2,999	2,565	3,184	2,770	
COMMUNICATIONS.....	1,139	1,156	1,207	1,239	1,272	1,313	1,328	1,349	1,377	1,377	1,403	1,406	1,425	
Telegraphs.....	256	250	257	258	262	271	269	285	285	290	291	289	299	
Telephones.....	879	902	946	976	1,005	1,037	1,054	1,058	1,087	1,080	1,101	1,106	1,116	
TRANSPORTATION.....	6,338	6,296	6,380	6,272	6,413	6,540	6,707	7,085	7,175	7,465	7,294	7,355	7,405	
Street railways and cartage.....	1,785	1,785	1,825	1,864	1,912	1,936	1,972	2,088	2,079	2,118	2,090	2,164	2,180	
Steam railways.....	3,992	3,906	3,848	3,665	3,710	5,866	3,948	4,100	4,169	4,368	4,412	4,387	4,479	
Shipping and stevedoring.....	561	605	707	744	791	738	788	898	926	982	792	804	745	
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	4,136	4,200	4,538	5,172	5,648	6,000	6,282	6,250	6,377	6,170	5,126	5,263	5,627	
Building.....	1,822	1,903	1,956	2,090	2,306	2,522	2,672	2,619	2,710	2,744	2,242	2,574	2,718	
Highway.....	1,144	1,187	1,533	1,923	2,132	2,273	2,397	2,355	2,326	2,140	1,701	1,421	1,426	
Railway.....	1,170	1,110	1,048	1,159	1,209	1,263	1,313	1,245	1,340	1,286	1,183	1,269	1,384	
SERVICES.....	1,117	1,138	1,113	1,166	1,232	1,253	1,274	1,284	1,249	1,297	1,276	1,318	1,364	
Hotels and restaurants.....	700	690	706	724	786	807	835	827	790	824	838	841	875	
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	417	448	448	441	446	446	446	457	459	473	441	477	489	
TRADE.....	5,649	5,820	5,901	5,955	6,128	6,193	6,271	6,408	6,568	6,867	6,946	6,940	6,922	
Retail.....	3,775	3,903	3,969	3,995	4,125	4,165	4,306	4,306	4,441	4,706	4,753	4,507	4,595	
Wholesale.....	1,874	1,917	1,932	1,959	2,004	2,028	2,063	2,102	2,127	2,160	2,194	2,272	2,327	
EIGHT GROUPS.....	55,249	55,932	55,413	54,969	57,192	57,620	58,775	60,327	62,078	64,445	60,730	64,985	65,934	
FINANCE.....	2,821	2,858	2,882	2,595	2,594	2,601	2,681	2,750	2,748	2,755	2,774	2,771	2,905	
Banks and trust companies.....	1,287	1,291	1,296	1,295	1,298	1,303	1,357	1,390	1,390	1,390	1,392	1,475	1,481	
Brokerage and stock market.....	118	118	118	126	190	118	115	118	115	116	129	134	158	
Insurance.....	1,116	1,159	1,169	1,174	1,176	1,180	1,179	1,242	1,244	1,247	1,252	1,263	1,266	

VII. Employment—Continued

36. AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK REPORTED AT FIRST OF MONTH—

Month	Manufacturing									
	Heavy Electrical Apparatus	Steel Ship-building and Repairing	Iron and Steel Fabrication n.e.s.	Tool Manufacturing	Foundry and Machine Shop Products	Preparation of Non-ferrous Metallic Ores	Aluminum and its Products	Copper, Lead, Tin and Zinc Mfg.	Petroleum and its Products	Miscellaneous and Manufactured Products
1945										
Aug...	45.7	46.2	46.2	45.1	46.2	46.8	44.3	44.1	43.1	42.7
Sept...	45.2	43.0	47.0	43.4	45.1	46.0	43.5	44.7	43.6	42.7
Oct...	43.3	45.6	45.3	44.3	45.8	45.7	44.8	44.0	43.2	42.4
Nov...	45.0	45.9	45.9	44.6	45.7	45.6	44.9	44.6	42.9	43.1
Dec...	43.6	44.5	45.5	44.3	45.8	44.6	44.8	43.7	42.8	43.6
1946										
Jan...	42.6	36.4	34.8	34.8	36.4	41.7	41.6	35.5	41.2	37.2
Feb...	42.0	43.9	44.1	43.8	44.7	45.2	45.3	43.4	42.3	42.6
Mar...	44.6	44.0	41.9	43.9	44.5	45.8	44.6	43.4	42.3	42.5
April...	44.0	44.5	43.8	44.3	45.2	45.7	44.9	43.1	42.2	42.9
May...	44.2	42.4	42.1	43.6	43.0	44.7	44.4	42.3	41.4	40.8
June...	42.4	41.3	41.4	41.9	40.7	45.0	43.5	40.2	39.5	40.4
July...	42.5	42.2	40.7	43.4	42.7	44.7	43.5	41.8	40.3	41.2
Aug...	44.9	43.9	42.9	42.5	43.9	45.1	44.3	42.2	39.0	41.1
Sept...	43.7	42.3	42.7	44.7	42.0	44.9	43.8	42.6	38.8	41.0
Oct...	42.4	43.6	42.7	44.7	44.0	44.8	44.5	42.9	39.3	41.3
Nov...	39.8	44.0	42.8	44.4	43.0	43.8	44.2	42.3	39.7	41.7
Dec...	41.8	41.8	43.3	45.3	44.2	43.6	45.0	43.2	40.6	42.1
1947										
Jan...	42.0	35.1	36.9	37.3	36.6	40.3	43.0	37.8	39.6	36.2
Feb...	39.7	41.8	42.3	44.8	43.7	43.9	44.8	43.6	40.3	41.6
Mar...	42.1	42.5	42.8	45.4	43.6	43.9	45.9	43.1	41.4	42.0

Month	Mining				Local Transportation	Building Construction	Highway Construction	Services		
	Total	Coal	Metallic Ores	Non-metallic Minerals (except coal)				Totals	Hotels and Restaurants	Personal (chiefly laundries)
1945										
Aug...	44.3	41.1	45.7	47.9	47.4	41.6	37.7	44.1	45.0	41.8
Sept...	43.0	39.2	45.0	46.9	47.2	41.3	38.0	44.0	45.1	41.8
Oct...	44.1	40.5	46.3	46.6	46.3	41.3	37.1	44.0	45.3	41.4
Nov...	44.0	39.9	46.4	46.9	47.2	41.2	36.2	43.8	44.9	41.7
Dec...	44.3	41.9	45.5	46.5	47.4	41.0	33.7	43.8	44.8	41.8
1946										
Jan...	40.5	38.9	41.1	43.1	45.1	32.5	35.2	41.6	44.3	36.5
Feb...	44.6	42.2	46.3	46.1	46.7	38.8	39.6	43.3	44.6	40.7
Mar...	44.5	42.3	45.9	45.8	47.2	39.8	40.5	44.2	45.7	41.3
April...	44.3	41.5	46.0	45.9	46.4	40.2	38.8	43.9	44.7	42.4
May...	42.6	39.1	45.0	44.3	46.0	38.7	36.0	44.2	45.4	42.1
June...	43.3	39.4	45.6	45.4	45.7	37.4	35.7	42.5	43.9	40.0
July...	43.5	40.0	45.8	44.9	46.5	38.3	38.5	43.5	44.7	41.0
Aug...	42.9	38.9	45.4	45.1	46.5	40.4	38.5	43.3	44.3	41.2
Sept...	42.9	40.0	44.3	45.4	46.3	39.5	37.9	43.5	44.7	41.2
Oct...	43.7	40.9	45.5	45.3	46.6	40.1	38.2	42.7	43.5	41.2
Nov...	43.2	39.6	45.3	45.7	46.2	39.7	37.2	43.1	43.9	41.6
Dec...	42.3	39.2	44.5	43.6	46.3	39.5	35.6	43.0	43.6	41.8
1947										
Jan...	34.9	26.8	39.4	39.7	44.8	32.9	37.3	40.9	43.0	37.2
Feb...	43.3	40.1	45.6	44.0	46.8	38.9	43.5	42.6	43.6	41.0
Mar...	43.6	35.9	45.9	45.5	46.8	40.1	46.2	43.3	44.2	41.6

VII. Employment—Continued

36. AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK REPORTED AT FIRST OF MONTH—Continued

Month	Manufacturing								
	Pulp and Paper Products				Rubber Products	Textile Products			
	Total	Pulp and Paper	Paper Products	Printing and Publishing		Total	Thread, Yarn and Cloth		
							Total	Cotton Yarn and Cloth	Woollen Yarn and Cloth
1945									
Sept....	46.7	50.6	43.1	41.9	45.4	42.4	46.3	46.1	46.0
Oct....	47.2	51.3	43.9	42.2	45.4	43.3	46.9	46.5	46.9
Nov....	47.2	50.9	44.5	42.5	44.1	43.2	47.0	47.1	46.9
Dec....	46.8	50.0	44.5	43.0	44.9	43.6	47.3	47.4	46.9
1946									
Jan....	42.4	46.3	37.4	39.1	36.0	36.3	40.4	42.5	38.9
Feb....	46.5	50.3	44.0	41.9	43.5	42.9	46.3	46.4	44.7
Mar....	46.5	50.1	44.0	42.1	44.1	43.3	46.6	47.0	45.3
April....	46.8	50.3	44.3	42.5	44.5	43.6	46.5	47.0	45.2
May....	45.4	48.9	43.2	40.8	43.2	41.7	45.2	45.7	43.7
June....	44.8	49.0	42.1	39.2	42.0	40.2	44.0	45.7	41.8
July....	45.6	49.3	42.8	40.8	38.2	40.0	43.2	44.7	42.3
Aug....	46.2	50.0	43.2	41.3	42.9	41.4	45.0	45.8	43.8
Sept....	45.6	49.2	42.7	41.0	43.9	41.5	44.8	44.6	43.9
Oct....	46.1	50.0	42.8	41.5	45.3	41.0	44.6	44.3	44.0
Nov....	46.1	50.0	42.9	41.4	36.9	40.8	43.4	44.4	42.3
Dec....	46.2	49.8	43.6	42.0	41.7	41.9	45.0	45.2	43.6
1947									
Jan....	42.6	46.9	37.4	39.0	35.9	35.6	38.7	40.3	37.2
Feb....	46.0	49.7	43.2	41.4	44.9	41.9	45.1	45.1	43.8
Mar....	46.0	50.0	43.1	41.1	44.7	42.1	45.0	44.8	43.6

Month	Manufacturing								
	Textile Products			Tobacco	Beverages		Clay, Glass and Stone Products		
	Silk and Artificial Silk Goods	Hosiery and Knit Goods	Garments and Personal Furnishings		Total	Distilled and Malt Liquors	Total	Glass Products	Stone Products
1945									
July....	43.6	40.3	38.0	38.3	44.1	43.6	45.5	44.4	46.3
Aug....	46.1	41.2	37.7	43.0	45.6	45.3	45.6	44.9	46.5
Sept....	47.5	41.5	38.9	44.1	45.6	45.6	44.5	42.8	46.1
Oct....	48.2	42.6	39.7	44.7	44.3	44.1	46.2	45.5	47.4
Nov....	47.7	42.6	39.5	44.8	45.2	45.0	45.9	45.4	46.0
Dec....	48.0	43.0	39.9	44.4	46.1	46.1	46.0	46.2	46.0
1946									
Jan....	37.7	36.0	32.2	29.1	43.0	42.5	40.9	40.7	41.3
Feb....	47.9	42.3	39.4	43.8	43.4	43.1	45.4	45.9	44.7
Mar....	47.7	43.0	39.7	40.4	44.3	44.0	45.5	45.8	45.1
April....	47.1	43.6	40.4	40.0	43.4	42.9	45.5	45.7	45.6
May....	46.1	41.1	37.8	41.2	44.0	43.7	45.2	45.3	44.7
June....	43.9	38.9	36.7	40.9	42.7	42.2	44.0	43.6	44.7
July....	42.4	39.7	36.5	37.3	42.9	42.3	43.9	43.4	45.1
Aug....	45.1	40.4	38.4	43.8	43.7	43.1	43.4	42.2	44.7
Sept....	46.4	41.2	37.9	43.7	43.8	43.4	42.8	39.4	44.5
Oct....	46.7	42.3	35.7	43.1	44.4	44.1	44.1	42.5	45.1
Nov....	43.0	40.3	37.8	41.1	43.4	43.1	44.1	42.4	44.6
Dec....	46.1	41.9	38.3	43.1	43.1	42.7	44.9	44.0	45.1
1947									
Jan....	36.8	34.2	31.4	26.9	42.0	41.5	40.5	40.1	41.1
Feb....	45.9	41.8	38.4	42.4	43.1	42.6	44.8	44.7	44.4
Mar....	46.1	41.7	38.7	43.2	41.5	46.9	45.3	44.7	45.3

VII. Employment—Continued

36. AVERAGE HOURS PER WEEK REPORTED AT FIRST OF MONTH

Month	Manufacturing								
	Total	Durable Manu- factured Goods	Non- durable Manu- factured Goods	Animal Products Edible	Dairy Products	Meat Products	Leather Products	Leather Boots and Shoes	Lumber Products
1945									
Aug....	44.3	44.7	43.7	43.9	49.1	40.6	42.6	42.5	44.7
Sept....	44.1	44.2	44.0	45.3	48.7	43.6	43.3	43.5	44.2
Oct....	44.7	45.0	44.5	45.7	49.5	44.5	43.6	43.8	44.7
Nov....	44.9	45.3	44.6	46.2	48.9	45.2	43.9	44.3	44.5
Dec....	44.8	44.9	44.6	45.4	47.7	44.4	43.8	44.3	44.1
1946									
Jan....	38.2	37.6	38.8	39.4	46.2	37.2	36.9	37.2	37.3
Feb....	44.1	44.4	43.8	42.2	46.5	41.0	43.0	43.6	43.7
Mar....	44.0	44.2	43.9	42.6	46.8	41.0	43.4	43.8	44.5
April....	44.4	44.6	44.2	43.6	47.6	41.6	43.5	44.1	44.0
May....	43.0	43.2	42.8	42.4	47.7	40.8	42.3	43.1	42.8
June....	42.0	42.1	41.9	43.2	46.7	41.1	40.8	41.6	42.5
July....	42.4	42.8	42.1	43.9	48.4	41.2	40.9	41.1	43.2
Aug....	43.0	43.2	42.8	42.8	47.4	40.2	41.8	42.3	43.7
Sept....	42.7	42.6	42.7	42.7	47.1	40.9	41.9	42.2	43.4
Oct....	42.9	42.8	42.9	42.5	47.4	40.9	42.1	42.8	43.7
Nov....	42.4	42.5	42.3	42.8	46.4	41.9	41.9	42.1	43.3
Dec....	43.2	43.2	43.2	43.1	46.9	42.3	42.5	42.8	42.7
1947									
Jan....	38.1	38.1	38.2	38.7	46.2	37.5	37.3	37.7	37.5
Feb....	43.1	43.2	43.0	42.2	47.0	40.9	42.3	42.8	42.8
Mar....	43.4	43.6	43.2	42.6	47.1	41.3	42.3	42.4	44.1

Month	Manufacturing								
	Lumber Products			Musical Instruments	Plant Products—Edible				
	Rough and Dressed Lumber	Containers	Furniture		Total	Flour and Other Milled Products	Fruit and Vegetable Pre-serving	Bread and Bakery Products	Chocolate and Cocoa Products
1945									
Aug....	45.5	43.0	44.1	48.0	42.6	46.5	41.4	44.1	38.3
Sept....	44.5	43.3	44.1	46.5	42.0	46.9	36.9	44.3	41.6
Oct....	44.8	44.1	44.3	46.5	42.9	47.5	41.5	44.0	41.6
Nov....	44.1	45.2	44.4	46.9	43.7	46.9	41.4	43.9	42.7
Dec....	43.6	44.6	44.5	46.7	43.6	45.8	40.8	44.2	41.7
1946									
Jan....	37.8	35.3	37.4	38.1	39.8	42.8	31.2	42.3	38.1
Feb....	43.5	43.4	43.4	45.5	43.2	46.2	40.3	43.1	41.3
Mar....	44.8	43.9	43.8	46.8	42.8	47.1	39.1	43.8	40.9
April....	44.3	43.1	43.8	46.7	43.2	46.9	41.0	43.8	41.6
May....	42.8	42.6	42.2	45.0	42.2	44.7	37.9	43.3	40.9
June....	43.5	42.4	41.0	42.6	41.5	43.6	37.9	42.5	40.3
July....	43.5	43.8	42.5	45.0	42.1	46.4	38.2	43.1	40.2
Aug....	44.0	43.9	43.2	45.2	41.5	45.7	37.3	43.5	39.8
Sept....	43.5	43.3	43.5	46.2	40.9	45.4	36.2	43.3	42.6
Oct....	43.7	43.7	44.1	47.9	42.8	46.1	42.8	42.8	41.0
Nov....	43.4	43.3	43.2	45.6	41.7	45.4	38.9	42.4	41.0
Dec....	42.1	43.4	43.7	45.8	42.4	45.9	40.6	42.8	41.3
1947									
Jan....	36.9	36.9	37.9	38.8	38.5	42.9	31.0	41.8	34.8
Feb....	42.2	43.1	43.2	43.8	42.4	45.6	41.2	42.8	39.9
Mar....	44.1	44.6	43.8	45.6	42.2	46.7	39.3	42.3	40.3

VII. Employment—Continued

37. AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS IN MANUFACTURING AS A WHOLE AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF DURABLE AND OF NON-DURABLE GOODS IN CENTS

Week Preceding	Manu- factur- ing	Non- durable Goods	Durable Goods						
			Total	Lum- ber Pro- ducts	Musi- cal Instru- ments	Clay, Glass and Stone Pro- ducts	Electri- cal Appar- atus	Iron and Steel Pro- ducts	Non- ferrous Metal Pro- ducts
July 1.....	70.1	61.2	77.0	60.2	54.5	64.9	70.3	81.6	74.0
Aug. 1.....	69.5	60.7	76.9	59.4	53.9	64.8	70.5	81.6	71.4
Sept. 1.....	69.2	60.9	76.5	60.0	54.4	65.5	70.2	81.5	73.8
Oct. 1.....	67.8	60.4	75.4	60.8	54.3	64.7	70.5	80.3	74.2
Nov. 1.....	67.5	60.6	74.8	61.1	55.3	64.8	70.3	79.6	73.6
Dec. 1.....	67.0	60.6	74.0	61.2	56.4	64.3	69.9	78.5	73.5
Jan. 1, 1946.....	67.9	61.7	74.7	61.9	58.3	64.5	70.7	79.2	74.8
Feb. 1.....	68.1	61.3	75.2	62.2	57.0	64.5	70.1	79.8	73.7
Mar. 1.....	67.9	61.5	74.5	62.4	56.6	64.8	69.8	78.9	73.8
April 1.....	68.4	61.8	75.1	62.2	57.6	64.8	70.4	79.7	74.2
May 1.....	68.9	62.4	75.5	62.7	56.9	65.6	70.1	80.3	74.3
June 1.....	69.1	63.3	75.1	57.5	58.5	66.7	70.6	80.0	74.4
July 1.....	70.0	64.1	75.7	64.7	58.1	67.1	71.0	80.0	75.5
Aug. 1.....	70.0	64.4	75.8	65.6	57.9	68.2	69.1	80.3	76.0
Sept. 1.....	70.6	65.1	76.5	66.0	58.2	69.7	70.8	81.1	76.6
Oct. 1.....	71.4	65.7	77.8	67.7	58.7	70.6	73.1	82.2	77.5
Nov. 1.....	72.9	66.7	79.4	68.4	60.7	71.6	73.9	84.1	79.1
Dec. 1.....	74.5	67.6	81.8	68.7	61.2	71.7	78.1	86.9	81.3
Jan. 1, 1947.....	76.2	69.3	83.8	69.5	61.4	73.4	79.9	88.5	82.7
Feb. 1.....	76.3	69.2	83.5	70.0	64.2	73.7	80.6	88.7	81.9
Mar. 1.....	77.1	69.9	84.2	70.5	65.3	74.3	81.5	89.5	82.4

38. AVERAGE WEEKLY SALARIES AND WAGES, AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE-EARNERS AS REPORTED IN MANUFACTURING AS A WHOLE, AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF DURABLE GOODS AND OF NON-DURABLE GOODS IN DOLLARS

Week Preceding	Manufacturing ^a		Durable Manufactured Goods		Non-Durable Manu- factured Goods	
	Average Weekly		Average Weekly		Average Weekly	
	Salaries Wages	Wages	Salaries Wages	Wages	Salaries Wages	Wages
July 1.....	32.91	31.05	36.02	34.65	29.33	26.50
Aug. 1.....	32.65	30.79	35.67	34.37	29.33	26.53
Sept. 1.....	32.51	30.52	35.58	33.81	29.60	26.80
Oct. 1.....	32.45	30.31	35.57	33.93	29.61	26.88
Nov. 1.....	32.55	30.31	35.60	33.88	29.84	27.03
Dec. 1.....	32.32	30.02	35.20	33.23	29.83	27.03
Jan. 1, 1946.....	29.49	25.87	31.30	28.01	27.57	23.88
Feb. 1.....	32.29	30.03	35.23	33.39	29.69	26.85
Mar. 1.....	32.29	29.88	34.90	32.93	29.98	27.00
April 1.....	32.69	30.37	35.34	33.49	30.30	27.32
May 1.....	32.10	29.63	34.51	32.62	29.89	26.71
June 1.....	31.67	29.02	33.78	31.62	29.81	26.52
July 1.....	32.20	29.68	34.40	32.40	3.21	26.96
Aug. 1.....	32.53	30.10	34.62	32.75	30.68	27.56
Sept. 1.....	32.71	30.15	34.65	32.59	30.82	27.80
Oct. 1.....	33.18	30.63	35.43	33.30	31.08	28.19
Nov. 1.....	33.48	30.91	35.79	33.75	31.26	28.21
Dec. 1.....	34.54	32.18	37.15	35.34	32.07	29.20
Jan. 1, 1947.....	32.43	29.03	34.48	31.65	30.37	26.47
Feb. 1.....	35.34	33.00	37.11	36.07	33.53	29.76
Mar. 1.....	35.80	33.46	38.49	36.91	33.15	30.20

^a The averages at these dates were affected by loss of working time at the year-end holidays in the case of Jan. 1, and by the Easter holidays in the case of April 1, 1945, and May 1, 1946. ^b Exclusive of electric light and power.

Source: Employment Branch. Based on returns received from establishments ordinarily employing 15 persons or more.

VII. Employment—Continued

39. PER CAPITA WEEKLY EARNINGS AT FIRST OF MONTH IN DOLLARS

Classification	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Nine Groups.....	33-54	33-53	32-16	31-81	33-24	32-72	32-81	33-35	33-42	34-02		32-77	35-09	35-62
MANUFACTURING.....	32-43	32-82	32-24	31-83	32-86	32-66	32-71	33-18	33-45	34-54		32-40	35-29	35-80
Durable goods.....	34-91	35-34	34-51	33-79	33-40	34-62	34-65	35-43	35-83	37-15		34-42	37-11	38-49
Non-durable goods.....	29-99	30-30	29-89	29-80	30-21	30-68	30-82	31-08	31-17	32-07		30-29	33-53	33-15
Animal products—edible.....	32-04	32-82	31-97	32-06	31-81	31-42	31-47	31-97	32-08	33-70		32-62	34-52	35-31
Fur and products.....	30-15	30-45	29-64	29-59	29-67	30-68	31-33	31-40	32-16	32-78		29-42	31-43	33-06
Leather products.....	25-07	25-51	24-91	24-53	24-90	25-45	25-80	25-99	26-08	26-46		24-20	27-12	27-41
Boots and shoes.....	24-32	24-85	24-11	23-75	23-98	24-82	25-22	25-44	25-35	25-83		23-21	26-18	26-38
Lumber and its products.....	29-23	29-87	28-57	26-88	29-23	30-02	30-01	30-92	31-04	30-86		28-27	31-33	32-45
Rough and dressed lumber.....	30-39	29-87	29-32	26-85	30-25	31-29	31-14	32-15	32-36	31-93		29-42	32-46	33-87
Furniture.....	27-71	27-95	27-63	27-09	27-75	28-02	28-45	29-30	29-30	29-74		26-54	29-88	30-67
Plant products—edible.....	28-07	28-37	28-25	28-20	28-50	27-78	27-12	27-39	28-96	28-97		28-20	29-69	30-20
Pulp and paper products.....	35-04	35-29	34-76	36-32	36-32	37-22	37-29	38-16	38-17	38-80		37-21	39-38	39-42
Pulp and paper.....	38-78	38-89	37-93	38-95	41-26	42-89	42-81	43-98	43-90	44-00		42-61	44-83	44-86
Paper products.....	28-16	28-34	28-25	28-11	28-26	28-74	28-74	29-26	29-82	30-24		27-86	31-61	31-58
Printing and publishing.....	34-32	34-70	34-39	33-80	34-37	34-58	34-73	35-62	35-61	36-24		35-76	37-17	37-16
Rubber products.....	33-12	32-80	32-46	31-28	30-36	32-09	34-01	35-54	31-29	37-64		34-83	38-62	38-46
Textile products.....	24-90	25-33	24-74	24-45	24-46	25-41	25-97	26-85	26-03	26-60		23-58	27-28	27-66
Hosiery and knit goods.....	22-15	22-83	22-41	21-68	21-69	22-69	23-46	23-97	23-46	24-39		21-54	24-90	25-19
Garments and personal furnishings.....	25-13	25-80	24-92	24-50	24-42	25-36	26-08	24-77	26-23	26-35		23-44	26-93	27-43
Tobacco.....	23-91	24-39	25-66	26-09	26-09	26-71	26-99	27-24	26-99	27-39		21-12	26-97	26-92
Beverages.....	35-06	34-58	35-38	34-99	34-96	35-46	35-78	36-55	36-71	37-27		37-01	38-12	37-87
Chemicals.....	34-84	34-94	34-42	34-42	34-39	34-93	35-16	35-69	35-54	36-30		36-13	37-49	38-07
Electrical apparatus.....	33-26	33-66	32-44	32-43	32-81	33-22	33-47	33-76	33-40	35-69		34-38	36-12	36-67
Iron and steel products.....	36-09	37-36	36-42	35-47	36-04	36-12	36-22	37-02	37-69	39-17		36-07	40-10	40-66
Crude, rolled and forged products.....	37-22	37-41	36-55	36-90	37-07	35-58	36-05	36-69	38-46	40-95		37-37	42-64	43-80
Machinery (other than vehicles).....	35-84	35-77	34-53	33-78	35-17	35-13	35-69	36-71	36-73	37-19		33-93	38-84	39-16
Land vehicles and aircraft.....	38-24	39-70	38-66	37-32	37-48	37-40	37-50	38-25	38-78	41-23		39-15	41-84	42-16
Automobiles and parts.....	36-15	41-79	40-18	36-19	33-06	37-86	36-90	36-32	37-09	41-73		39-07	42-78	43-52
Steel shipbuilding and repairing.....	38-45	38-73	36-99	36-09	37-39	37-73	37-66	37-89	39-45	38-85		34-48	39-18	40-02
Non-ferrous metal products.....	36-38	35-58	35-02	34-48	35-55	36-29	35-86	36-64	36-73	37-90		36-37	38-27	38-32
Non-metallic mineral products.....	38-41	38-66	38-35	38-07	38-99	39-33	39-11	39-21	39-43	39-88		40-71	41-62	42-46
Electric light and power.....	38-30	38-88	38-77	38-68	38-75	37-84	37-48	38-11	38-91	39-15		39-34	40-49	43-77
LOGGING.....	29-20	29-69	27-95	24-87	29-24	32-25	31-87	30-54	30-28	29-60		32-07	31-75	34-08
MINING.....	39-67	39-59	38-39	38-77	39-49	38-84	39-12	40-25	40-22	40-12		35-43	42-12	43-37
COMMUNICATIONS.....	33-94	32-52	33-21	32-70	32-37	32-38	32-84	33-07	33-45	33-25		33-65	33-61	33-75
Telegraphs.....	33-85	33-25	33-20	32-83	32-49	33-87	33-28	35-85	35-57	36-63		37-21	36-78	37-97
Telephones.....	32-96	32-58	33-20	32-74	32-33	32-01	32-11	32-39	32-94	32-32		32-82	32-86	32-79
TRANSPORTATION.....	40-82	39-74	39-21	38-66	39-06	39-56	39-80	41-54	41-28	42-88		43-06	44-40	44-47
Street railways and cartage.....	34-93	34-44	34-41	34-44	34-94	34-76	35-15	36-48	36-04	36-55		36-53	37-98	38-39
Steam railways.....	45-90	44-64	44-36	43-03	43-41	44-52	44-91	46-58	46-35	49-07		49-06	49-50	50-45
Shipping and stevedoring.....	32-66	31-78	31-12	32-39	32-99	32-44	32-43	35-48	35-41	36-18		35-63	37-67	35-60
CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.....	32-03	31-45	30-84	30-89	31-22	31-96	32-17	32-18	32-67	32-77		31-00	33-77	34-55
Building.....	34-59	34-55	33-40	32-69	33-40	34-62	34-60	35-45	35-41	35-44		31-17	35-23	36-89
Highway.....	30-04	29-19	27-85	28-89	29-60	29-89	29-95	29-33	29-02	28-75		28-60	30-51	31-56
Railway.....	30-49	29-43	31-29	31-37	30-38	31-08	32-08	31-49	34-12	35-02		33-66	33-96	33-64
SERVICES.....	21-04	20-68	20-97	20-70	20-96	20-83	21-05	21-59	21-95	22-49		22-19	22-75	23-28
Hotels and restaurants.....	20-31	19-78	19-96	19-78	20-16	19-95	20-08	20-73	21-01	21-76		21-90	22-01	22-63
Personal (chiefly laundries).....	22-39	22-84	22-77	22-41	22-55	22-65	23-08	23-33	23-76	24-08		22-74	24-27	24-56
TRADE.....	28-23	28-18	28-24	29-76	28-73	29-10	29-05	29-03	29-13	28-78		28-97	30-47	30-79
Retail.....	26-08	26-01	26-07	26-18	26-64	27-16	27-04	26-82	27-02	26-64		26-75	28-19	28-49
Wholesale.....	35-86	35-94	34-07	34-07	34-21	34-11	34-24	34-90	34-83	34-93		35-34	35-98	36-61
EIGHT GROUPS.....	32-44	32-48	32-06	31-67	32-24	32-64	32-72	33-15	33-33	33-94		32-64	35-03	35-58
FINANCE.....	34-81	34-54	34-69	34-77	34-66	34-66	34-95	35-59	35-52	35-63		35-75	36-40	36-68
Banks and trust companies.....	30-85	30-96	30-65	30-80	30-83	30-91	31-66	31-75	31-73	31-82		31-88	32-85	33-01
Brokerage and stock market.....	39-21	38-08	38-66	40-30	37-72	37-28	36-95	37-41	37-77	40-70		39-78	42-93	44-94
Insurance.....	40-31	39-44	39-79	39-83	39-78	39-67	39-54	40-42	40-72	40-83		40-84	41-06	41-09

VIII. Prices
40. INDEX NUMBERS OF COST OF LIVING, 1935-39=100

Month	Total	Food	Fuel and Lighting	Clothing	Home Furnishings	Miscellaneous	Rent	Retail Prices (Commodities only)
1945								
Sept.....	119.9	134.2	106.7	122.2	119.4	109.5	112.1	126.9
Oct.....	119.7	133.3	106.7	122.4	119.4	109.6	112.3	126.5
Nov.....	119.9	134.0	106.6	122.5	119.4	109.6	112.3	126.8
Dec.....	120.1	134.3	107.1	122.5	119.5	109.6	112.3	127.0
1946								
Jan.....	119.9	132.8	107.1	122.6	119.5	110.9	112.3	126.3
Feb.....	119.9	132.5	107.1	122.7	120.1	110.9	112.3	126.2
Mar.....	120.1	133.1	107.2	123.1	120.4	110.9	112.3	126.7
April.....	120.8	135.1	107.2	123.2	120.7	111.0	112.3	127.8
May.....	122.0	137.7	107.2	123.7	122.1	111.5	112.6	129.5
June.....	123.6	142.1	107.2	124.3	122.4	112.1	112.6	132.1
July.....	125.1	144.2	107.2	126.4	125.1	113.7	112.6	134.4
Aug.....	125.6	144.7	107.2	127.6	127.0	113.8	112.6	135.1
Sept.....	125.5	143.2	107.2	129.6	128.4	113.9	112.6	135.0
Oct.....	126.8	146.5	107.3	130.2	128.8	113.9	113.4	136.9
Nov.....	127.1	146.6	108.6	131.1	129.2	114.1	113.4	137.3
Dec.....	127.1	146.4	109.2	131.2	129.4	114.1	113.4	137.2
1947								
Jan.....	127.0	145.5	109.0	131.5	129.8	114.7	113.4	136.9
Feb.....	127.8	147.0	109.1	131.9	130.9	115.5	113.4	137.9
Mar.....	128.9	148.7	109.1	133.1	133.6	116.0	113.4	139.4

41. INDEX NUMBERS OF FARM PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS¹
1935-1939=100

Month	Canada	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.
1945										
July.....	179.5	210.1	179.6	204.9	183.7	173.9	178.7	176.5	182.9	188.7
Aug.....	178.4	246.5	189.0	224.4	186.8	176.6	172.0	168.4	176.8	191.7
Sept.....	175.7	181.4	180.1	199.8	182.2	176.2	170.4	167.9	174.8	193.4
Oct.....	175.5	188.0	179.1	195.2	183.0	176.2	171.4	166.7	173.9	194.0
Nov.....	176.8	190.3	179.6	201.7	184.6	178.5	172.6	166.8	174.1	195.5
Dec.....	177.9	190.0	180.4	204.9	186.1	178.5	174.7	168.6	175.9	194.8
1946*										
Jan.....	178.9	196.2	183.5	209.5	188.1	180.7	173.8	169.1	175.7	193.6
Feb.....	180.2	202.9	183.5	208.9	188.2	182.4	174.9	169.8	177.4	195.3
Mar.....	180.5	205.5	187.1	216.4	188.1	182.2	175.6	169.7	177.6	196.0
April.....	182.7	210.4	188.5	218.3	190.3	184.5	178.1	171.1	180.6	197.2
May.....	184.7	216.2	193.8	221.8	194.1	187.5	179.3	172.4	181.1	197.2
June.....	186.7	214.4	195.8	232.0	197.4	189.2	181.2	173.3	183.2	200.1
July.....	188.0	217.1	197.2	229.1	199.7	190.4	181.5	173.8	184.0	206.9
Aug.....	187.2	237.1	202.0	224.1	201.2	189.4	180.7	172.8	183.1	179.9
Sept.....	183.7	176.5	184.0	193.1	197.6	187.9	179.5	171.3	182.0	190.0
Oct.....	183.2	166.7	179.5	181.2	200.2	188.3	179.6	171.6	179.3	188.6
Nov.....	183.9	161.5	177.6	179.9	202.0	190.0	180.1	171.9	179.4	189.7
Dec.....	184.6	161.7	175.9	176.0	203.4	189.9	180.7	173.2	180.8	191.8
1947										
Jan.....	184.8	155.0	175.8	178.9	205.9	187.4	183.0	174.0	182.1	191.9
Feb.....	185.9	154.3	174.9	179.8	205.0	188.6	184.6	175.0	185.0	190.4

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VIII. Prices

42. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100

Group	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
Wholesale Prices, Total	105.6	106.2	106.6	106.1	106.5	106.2	106.1	110.8	111.4	111.8	114.2	115.1	120.4	
COMPONENT MATERIALS—														
Vegetable Products.....	97.4	97.8	97.7	98.7	99.2	97.8	97.4	97.1	97.4	97.2	97.9	102.3	107.2	
Animal Products.....	108.9	112.3	112.9	114.2	115.7	115.4	115.3	119.6	119.6	120.2	122.7	123.0	123.6	
Textiles.....	95.5	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.2	98.4	98.4	100.3	111.1	117.6	
Wood Products.....	123.5	128.4	130.9	131.1	130.5	131.0	131.2	138.3	140.9	143.6	147.8	149.0	149.0	
Iron and its Products.....	116.2	127.9	128.1	128.4	128.3	128.5	128.6	128.6	128.6	128.6	131.4	131.9	132.0	
Non-Ferrous Metals.....	87.8	87.8	87.1	86.9	89.3	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.7	89.3	97.1	115.0	116.2	
Non-Metallies.....	102.2	103.0	103.0	102.7	102.6	102.6	102.6	103.8	104.0	104.7	105.6	106.3	106.3	
Chemicals.....	95.4	95.7	95.7	94.5	94.4	94.4	94.4	94.7	95.3	95.3	98.2	103.8	103.8	
FOODS—Consumers'														
Goods.....	99.0	100.8	100.8	101.3	102.0	101.5	101.4	103.0	103.2	103.1	104.1	107.2	108.6	
Food, Beverages.....	104.1	106.7	106.6	108.1	109.8	108.0	107.5	109.9	110.3	110.1	111.5	111.6	112.4	
Producers' Goods.....	103.5	105.1	105.0	106.2	106.0	105.8	105.7	107.3	107.9	108.6	111.3	117.4	121.2	
Producers' Equipment.....	120.3	120.8	120.8	120.3	120.3	120.2	120.3	122.6	122.8	123.3	124.3	124.5	124.5	
Producers' Materials.....	109.9	103.3	103.2	104.6	104.4	104.2	104.1	105.6	106.2	107.0	109.8	116.6	120.8	
Building Materials.....	128.4	134.2	134.2	134.2	133.5	134.8	135.1	136.0	139.4	140.4	145.3	151.5	151.5	
Manufacturers' Materials.....	97.1	98.1	98.0	99.6	99.5	99.0	98.9	100.4	100.6	101.2	103.3	110.7	115.6	
ORIGIN—Raw and partly manu-														
factured.....	107.0	108.0	108.6	109.7	110.2	108.4	108.1	112.4	113.0	113.2	115.2	119.4	123.8	
Fully and Chiefly Manufactured.....	95.9	98.5	98.5	98.5	98.5	99.5	99.7	101.2	101.2	101.1	103.7	106.8	107.7	
Vegetable Origin—														
Raw.....	96.1	96.6	96.5	97.5	98.0	94.9	94.4	93.9	93.9	93.7	94.1	100.3	109.2	
Manufactured.....	90.1	90.6	90.6	90.8	90.9	92.0	92.1	92.1	92.2	92.2	93.9	98.9	100.2	
Total.....	92.9	93.4	93.3	93.9	94.2	93.3	93.2	92.9	93.0	92.6	93.5	99.5	104.3	
Animal Origin—														
Raw.....	111.7	112.5	113.0	115.5	116.5	115.0	114.5	131.2	131.3	130.1	131.0	131.6	131.7	
Manufactured.....	95.6	100.9	100.7	103.3	100.8	100.9	101.3	101.5	101.3	101.5	106.5	108.2	110.3	
Total.....	102.6	105.9	106.0	106.9	107.6	107.0	107.0	114.4	114.3	114.1	117.1	118.1	119.6	
Canadian Farm Products—														
Field.....	100.9	101.2	101.9	102.1	103.7	100.9	100.0	99.9	100.0	100.1	100.1	100.8	101.7	
Animal.....	126.1	126.5	127.7	130.5	130.6	129.3	129.2	135.8	137.1	137.0	138.2	140.1	141.0	
Total.....	110.3	110.7	111.5	112.7	113.8	111.5	110.9	113.3	113.8	113.9	114.4	115.5	116.4	
Marine Origin—														
Raw.....	131.8	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	130.0	121.0	121.0	
Manufactured.....	134.1	142.0	142.0	142.0	149.8	157.2	157.2	157.2	157.2	167.9	167.9	167.9	162.0	
Total.....	133.5	138.7	138.7	138.7	144.4	149.8	149.8	149.8	149.8	157.6	157.6	155.2	153.9	
Forest Origin—														
Raw.....	153.0	153.5	153.9	153.9	162.7	162.7	162.8	164.2	169.6	174.1	184.3	186.7	186.7	
Manufactured.....	99.7	100.4	100.4	100.7	100.6	101.4	101.9	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.6	113.9	
Total.....	124.5	127.5	130.0	130.2	129.5	130.0	130.3	137.2	139.7	141.8	146.6	147.7	147.8	
Mineral Origin—														
Raw.....	101.6	102.1	101.7	102.0	102.8	102.9	103.3	104.7	104.9	105.4	108.3	114.6	115.0	
Manufactured.....	101.2	105.2	105.3	105.3	105.3	105.4	105.6	105.4	105.4	105.9	108.6	110.3	110.4	
Total.....	101.4	103.8	103.7	103.8	104.2	104.3	104.5	105.1	105.2	105.7	108.5	112.2	112.5	

VIII. Prices—Continued

43. WHOLESALE PRICES INDEXES, 1926=100 BY COMMODITY GROUPS

Classification	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
COMMODITY GROUPS—														
Fruits.....	120-0	122-7	131-1	130-4	127-3	125-0	129-2	130-7	132-9	134-7	113-4	116-6	122-9	
Grains.....	92-3	92-5	92-7	92-9	92-8	91-9	92-1	92-3	92-6	92-8	92-6	100-6	112-4	
Flour and milled products.....	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	79-0	
Bakery products.....	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	87-4	87-4	
Rubber and its products.....	75-7	76-0	76-0	76-0	76-0	76-0	76-0	76-0	76-0	74-8	77-3	77-3	77-3	
Sugar and its products.....	120-7	121-5	121-5	122-4	122-4	122-4	122-4	122-4	122-4	122-4	122-4	122-4	123-3	
Tea, coffee, cocoa and spices.....	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	114-8	137-6	137-6	137-6	
Vegetables.....	115-3	118-1	119-3	123-0	135-3	109-1	97-9	89-2	80-8	86-1	89-0	91-8	94-5	
Fishery products.....														
Fishery products.....	132-5	138-7	138-7	138-7	144-5	150-9	150-9	150-9	150-9	160-2	160-2	157-1	152-0	
Furs.....	108-0	105-1	109-6	109-6	107-0	107-0	98-5	98-5	98-5	91-5	85-3	67-5	71-6	
Hides and skins.....	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	97-0	118-0	118-0	
Leather, unmanufactured.....	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	111-9	131-0	131-0	
Boots and shoes.....	110-2	110-2	110-2	110-6	110-6	111-0	113-7	113-7	113-7	117-1	117-1	125-5	125-5	
Live stock.....	153-1	156-3	160-5	171-7	165-7	160-1	158-4	156-8	158-2	163-4	171-4	176-2	178-2	
Meats and poultry.....	115-3	120-6	120-6	124-5	124-4	121-3	120-7	120-7	120-7	120-7	126-6	127-0	129-5	
Milk and its products.....	101-4	105-4	105-0	104-0	105-1	105-3	105-3	118-5	118-8	119-2	119-1	119-2	119-3	
Eggs.....	86-1	84-6	86-0	87-2	99-9	102-7	104-8	106-1	107-0	97-9	90-8	86-6	87-3	
Cotton fabrics.....														
Cotton fabrics.....	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	91-5	119-3	119-3	
Miscellaneous fibre products.....	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	92-6	92-6	105-2	107-1	120-1	
Rayon fabrics.....	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	71-6	78-7	
Rayon yarns.....	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	49-0	53-8	
Wool raw.....	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	94-7	
Woolen hosiery and knit goods.....	108-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	118-8	124-1	
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....														
Newsprint and wrapping paper.....	99-9	100-7	100-7	100-7	100-7	100-7	101-0	114-5	114-8	114-8	114-7	114-7	114-7	
Lumber.....	153-7	170-4	170-4	170-4	168-7	168-7	168-7	170-8	177-3	177-3	189-5	193-0	193-0	
Pulp.....	131-2	131-2	149-0	149-0	149-0	149-0	149-2	149-2	151-9	166-8	172-3	172-3	172-3	
Furniture.....	105-1	105-1	105-4	107-5	107-5	115-4	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-9	118-0	118-0	
Pig iron and steel billets.....														
Pig iron and steel billets.....	104-8	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	123-5	
Rolling mill products.....	121-0	136-1	136-3	136-3	136-3	135-9	135-9	135-9	135-9	135-9	137-6	137-6	137-8	
Hardware.....	98-2	100-8	101-5	104-2	104-2	104-2	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	107-1	110-7	111-3	
Wire.....	105-5	122-6	122-6	122-6	122-6	119-3	119-3	119-3	119-3	119-3	119-3	119-3	119-3	
Scrap.....	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	110-3	
Brass, copper and products.....														
Brass, copper and products.....	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	86-8	87-9	100-2	120-8	120-8	
Lead and its products.....	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	62-1	86-4	131-1	131-1	
Zinc and its products.....	59-1	59-1	59-1	59-1	59-1	59-1	59-2	59-2	59-2	59-2	75-8	104-8	104-8	
Clay and allied products.....														
Clay and allied products.....	109-1	109-1	109-1	109-1	109-1	109-1	109-1	109-1	109-1	118-0	124-8	124-8	124-8	
Coal.....	125-0	125-0	125-0	124-4	124-4	124-4	124-4	128-1	128-0	129-1	129-1	129-1	129-1	
Coke.....	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-4	123-9	123-9	123-9	
Manufactured gas.....	100-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	110-6	100-6	100-6	100-6	
Glass and its products.....	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	104-4	
Petroleum products.....	79-8	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	81-0	82-7	83-2	83-2	
Salt.....	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	130-6	
Cement.....	105-1	105-1	105-1	105-1	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	105-0	107-6	107-6	
Building stone.....	70-8	70-8	70-8	70-8	70-8	70-8	71-0	71-0	71-0	71-0	76-1	76-1	76-1	
Asbestos.....	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	74-1	80-2	80-2	
Inorganic chemicals.....														
Inorganic chemicals.....	87-4	87-4	87-4	87-5	87-5	87-5	87-5	87-4	87-4	87-6	87-9	87-9	87-9	
Organic chemicals.....	87-3	87-3	87-3	90-7	90-7	90-7	90-7	94-3	94-3	94-3	94-6	102-6	102-6	
Coal tar products.....	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	91-1	102-6	102-6	
Dyeing and tanning materials.....	139-3	139-3	139-3	139-3	137-2	137-2	137-2	137-2	137-2	137-2	137-2	138-4	138-4	
Explosives.....	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	73-1	
Paints, prepared.....	76-3	76-3	76-3	76-3	76-3	76-3	76-3	76-3	76-3	82-5	99-1	99-1	99-1	
Drugs.....	141-9	141-9	141-9	132-2	132-2	132-2	132-2	132-2	132-2	123-9	123-9	125-7	125-7	
Fertilizer.....	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	83-7	85-3	85-3	85-3	85-3	85-3	85-9	85-9	85-9	

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44. PRICES OF REPRESENTATIVE COMMODITIES

Group	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Wholesale Prices of Important Commodities—														
Oats, No. 2 C.W..... bush.	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-515	-575	
Wheat, No. 1 Man. Northern "	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-250	1-375	1-550	
Flour, First Patent 2-95's cotton bags, Toronto.....	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	4-900	
Sugar, granulated, Montreal. cwt.	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	6-893	
Cattle steers, good, up to 1,050 lbs., Toronto..... "	12-120	12-280	12-600	13-890	13-220	12-840	12-350	12-280	12-370	12-610	13-360	13-980	14-240	
Hogs, B.1 dressed Toronto..... "	17-730	19-350	19-860	20-820	20-900	21-150	20-420	19-870	20-170	20-800	21-710	21-380	21-380	
Beef hides, packer hides native steers..... lbs.	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-150	-180	-180	
Leather, packer hide crops..... "	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-480	-565	-565	
Box sides, D, Oshawa..... ft.	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-240	-282	-282	
Butter, creamery, first, Montreal..... lb.	-380	-420	-415	-403	-417	-420	-420	-420	-420	-420	-420	-420	-420	
Eggs, Grade "A", Montreal. dos.	-393	-378	-394	-406	-492	-505	-505	-505	-505	-468	-423	-393	-395	
Cotton yarns, 10's white, single..... "	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-348	-608	-608	
Wool, eastern bright, 1/4 blood..... "	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-310	-300	-300	-300	
Wool, western range, semi-bright, 1/4 blood..... "	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-260	-250	-250	-250	
Pulp, groundwood, No. 1..... ton	55-000	55-000	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	55-800	
Pig-iron, foundry, No. 1..... ton	25-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	30-500	
Steel, merchant bars, mill, 100lb.	2-754	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	3-240	
Copper, electrolytic, domestic, Montreal..... cwt.	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	11-500	13-584	16-225	16-625	
Lead, domestic, Montreal..... "	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	5-000	7-047	10-630	10-630	
Tin ingots, Straits, Toronto. lb.	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-620	-690	-690	
Zinc, domestic, electrolytic. cwt.	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	5-750	7-386	10-250	10-250	
Coal, anthracite, Toronto. ton	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	12-360	
Coal, bituminous, N.S. run-of-mine..... "	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	6-980	
Gasoline, Toronto..... gal.	-195	-195	-195	-195	-195	-195	-195	-195	-195	-195	-200	-200	-200	
Sulphuric acid, 66° Baume.net ton	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	18-000	

* Dressed weight grading.

45. INDEX NUMBERS OF SECURITY PRICES, 1935-39 = 100

Security Prices—														
COMMON STOCK PRICES—														
Total (100).....	119-2	125-1	124-4	123-3	119-1	116-9	104-4	101-8	102-5	106-4	106-2	109-4	106-4	
Industrials, total (74).....	110-9	117-6	117-7	116-7	112-6	110-4	97-4	95-0	95-3	99-3	99-2	102-4	99-2	
Machinery and equipment (10).....	189-2	207-0	205-7	202-1	190-0	187-6	162-7	166-0	173-7	180-2	179-9	184-9	180-5	
Pulp and paper (8).....	244-4	277-3	278-3	282-5	266-1	268-6	229-4	233-3	235-1	250-0	253-7	264-3	257-6	
Milling (4).....	130-6	141-4	140-8	141-7	140-0	139-4	122-6	123-0	122-7	123-9	124-9	125-3	123-1	
Oils (4).....	81-6	84-6	84-7	83-1	71-8	70-8	64-9	63-2	63-1	63-6	63-0	68-6	65-8	
Textiles and clothing (9).....	156-8	200-2	208-2	210-2	206-4	207-9	190-5	182-1	180-7	181-8	182-9	190-6	185-9	
Food and allied products (13).....	129-0	134-6	136-6	136-4	134-0	129-9	123-7	122-6	121-0	123-3	124-0	129-8	129-3	
Beverages (8).....	227-8	353-8	410-6	410-3	430-2	430-5	349-2	330-9	314-3	317-1	303-5	302-5	291-9	
Building materials (16).....	148-6	160-6	164-0	167-0	157-3	154-1	137-1	133-9	134-9	138-4	142-0	145-3	140-2	
Industrial mines (2).....	100-4	106-0	109-8	108-5	100-1	96-1	84-5	81-6	83-6	92-1	93-3	93-6	90-2	
Utilities, total (18).....	142-4	145-4	140-7	138-4	132-2	130-3	118-8	114-1	115-2	118-3	117-7	121-8	100-1	
Transportation (2).....	229-6	233-8	224-1	234-0	206-6	197-5	164-8	150-8	146-7	149-6	162-6	149-5		
Telephone and telegraph (2).....	126-5	128-2	134-1	135-6	132-0	131-5	124-0	114-8	114-7	118-9	121-0	121-9	120-1	
Power and traction (14).....	121-7	124-8	117-8	110-0	109-8	109-9	103-7	103-8	107-5	110-3	108-1	110-4	112-4	
Banks (8).....	129-2	133-6	134-2	135-0	135-3	132-3	124-1	124-7	129-8	133-8	133-1	133-4	130-6	
MINING STOCK PRICES—														
Total (27).....	108-4	110-0	107-0	104-0	93-4	89-7	81-6	80-3	83-3	83-7	86-6	88-8	85-7	
Gold (23).....	101-3	99-8	94-2	92-0	81-7	77-6	71-1	70-1	73-1	70-9	74-1	75-7	73-5	
Base metals (4).....	119-9	127-9	130-4	125-7	114-9	112-1	101-0	98-9	101-9	107-6	109-8	112-9	107-8	
PREFERRED STOCKS.....	154-5	157-6	159-7	161-6	157-5	157-9	151-4	153-6	154-7	153-8	157-5	158-5	156-0	
BOND PRICES AND YIELDS—														
Treasury Bill yields.....	0-362	0-373	0-385	0-393	0-403	0-402	0-402	0-395	0-396	0-399	0-399	0-399	0-399	
Dominion of Canada yields.....	2-60	2-60	2-63	2-60	2-63	2-61	2-62	2-62	2-62	2-62	2-61	2-61	2-61	
Index of.....	83-8	84-3	85-1	84-9	85-1	85-0	84-9	85-0	85-0	85-0	84-9	84-7	84-6	
Capitalized yields.....	119-3	118-6	117-5	117-5	117-6	117-5	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-6	117-8	118-1	118-2	

IX. Finance

46. ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE BANK OF CANADA, 1947

Item	March 19	March 26	March 31	April 2	April 9	April 16
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
LIABILITIES—						
1. Capital paid up.....	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000	5,000,000
2. Res. fund.....	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367	10,050,367
3. Notes in circulation.....	1,149,399,634	1,149,599,336	1,153,197,765	1,159,594,734	1,166,173,114	1,159,513,260
4. Deposits—						
(a) Dominion Government.....	143,640,903	133,600,511	159,771,276	148,844,337	169,174,400	190,245,000
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered Banks.....	512,977,045	523,915,432	526,264,805	541,155,749	528,947,295	526,195,210
(d) Other.....	85,808,023	71,197,916	64,621,325	81,077,789	75,859,714	72,259,333
Total.....	742,425,972	728,713,859	760,657,406	771,077,855	772,977,098	788,699,643
5. Liabilities, Sterling, U.S.A. currency.....	958,496	1,233,496	1,233,496	1,233,496	1,170,049	979,264
6. All other liabilities.....	10,721,163	8,105,357	15,863,571	12,142,339	14,139,564	27,115,246
Total.....	1,918,465,632	1,902,702,415	1,946,002,605	1,959,488,701	1,969,500,492	1,991,357,680
Assets—						
1. Reserve—						
Gold coin and bullion.....						
Silver bullion.....						
Sterling and U.S.A. dollars.....	958,496	1,233,496	1,233,496	1,233,496	1,170,049	979,264
Other currencies, of countries on a gold standard.....						
Total.....	958,496	1,233,496	1,233,496	1,233,496	1,170,049	979,264
2. Subsidiary coin.....	368,218	371,812	373,873	377,057	367,274	372,984
3. Bills discounted.....						
4. Advances to—						
(a) Dominion Government.....						
(b) Provincial Governments.....						
(c) Chartered and Savings Banks.....						
Total.....						
5. Bills bought except treasury bills.....						
6. Investments—						
(a) Dominion and Provincial Government short securities.....	1,117,247,429	1,116,879,605	1,146,871,340	1,162,689,811	1,166,471,450	1,188,952,591
(b) Other Dominion and Provincial Government securities.....	752,532,575	753,315,955	757,469,562	755,224,074	752,234,494	753,475,236
(c) Other securities.....	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000	15,000,000
Total.....	1,884,780,004	1,885,195,560	1,919,340,902	1,932,913,885	1,933,705,944	1,957,427,827
7. Bank Premises.....	2,444,097	2,444,076	2,450,076	2,440,819	2,448,818	2,446,818
8. All other assets.....	29,914,818	13,457,479	22,604,253	22,514,534	31,808,309	30,128,786
Total.....	1,918,465,632	1,902,702,415	1,946,002,605	1,939,488,701	1,969,500,492	1,991,357,680

47. MONEY SUPPLY

Millions of Dollars

Classification	1946										1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.
Money Supply (M+M₁).....	7126.4	7064.2	7139.8	7165.8	6974.6	7097.3	7126.6	7232.6	7415.8	7612.8	7361.8	7545.4
CIRCULATING MEDIA—												
Bank Notes in Circulation—												
Bank of Canada.....	1086.7	1102.2	1114.4	1109.8	1114.0	1117.9	1127.4	1147.5	1156.9	1161.1	1186.2	1138.6
Chartered Banks.....	24.8	24.5	24.1	23.7	23.3	23.9	22.5	22.2	21.8	21.7	21.4	21.1
Notes in hands of public.....	976.9	1002.0	984.0	995.6	1011.0	988.6	1015.9	1016.1	1029.4	1042.4	1030.8	1016.7
Subsidiary coin in hands of public.....	61.5	62.8	62.0	62.7	64.0	62.6	63.9	63.3	63.7	65.1	64.7	63.0
Total Circulating Media in hands of public (M ₁).....	1033.4	1064.7	1046.0	1058.4	1075.0	1051.2	1079.8	1079.5	1093.0	1107.5	1095.5	1079.7
Deposits—												
Deposits with Chartered Banks—												
Dominion Government.....	650.7	517.6	359.6	248.6	114.3	143.0	153.8	120.7	286.7	600.2	365.9	452.0
Provincial Government.....	105.9	108.1	122.3	120.2	128.1	136.0	124.3	127.2	121.2	119.8	126.0	161.3
Demand.....	1995.4	1985.3	2178.5	2207.0	2150.3	2197.1	2145.2	2226.3	2315.7	2181.8	2290.8	2086.6
Notice.....	3078.0	3170.2	3237.5	3305.7	3363.5	3410.9	3465.7	3524.1	3476.7	3460.1	3469.3	3532.8
Total.....	5829.9	5781.2	5897.9	5881.5	5756.1	5896.9	5892.1	6037.4	6200.9	6362.0	6252.0	6171.3
Deposits with Bank of Canada—												
Dominion Government.....	201.7	149.2	183.3	87.1	57.9	60.1	27.4	27.4	36.6	63.9	60.5	150.1
Other.....	56.4	89.1	62.7	78.4	85.6	90.1	79.7	87.8	85.2	79.4	93.8	82.9
Total.....	258.1	238.3	246.0	165.6	143.4	159.2	148.7	115.2	121.9	143.3	154.3	233.0
Total Deposits (M ₂).....	6088.0	6019.5	6143.9	6047.1	5899.6	6046.1	6040.8	6152.5	6322.7	6505.3	6406.3	6465.7
Total Money Supply (M ₁ +M ₂).....	7126.4	7064.2	7139.8	7165.8	6974.6	7097.3	7126.6	7232.6	7415.8	7612.8	7361.8	7545.4

IX. Finance—Continued 48. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS AT END OF MONTH

Millions of Dollars

Classification	1946												1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.
Assets—														
CANADIAN CASH RESERVE—														
Notes of Bank of Canada.....	134.64	124.72	154.48	137.53	126.30	152.10	134.04	153.56	140.30	140.36	176.86	143.04	129.16	
Deposits with Bank of Canada.....	522.92	515.12	555.80	493.26	500.48	532.48	521.13	511.24	538.56	579.51	565.47	533.32	493.61	
Totals.....	657.56	639.85	710.28	630.80	626.78	684.58	655.17	664.92	678.86	719.88	742.33	676.36	622.77	
SUNDRY ASSETS—														
Gold and coin.....	14.65	13.21	13.96	13.86	12.45	14.00	12.73	13.69	13.83	12.73	13.36	15.32	14.74	
Foreign currency.....	97.46	87.19	87.66	94.50	101.08	90.85	95.96	97.07	96.39	96.22	92.90	96.49	95.28	
Notes and Cheques on other banks.....	248.54	207.26	255.64	280.39	230.03	239.39	204.08	286.61	282.82	243.26	328.43	257.48	351.54	
Balances at other Banks—														
United Kingdom banks.....	31.88	31.90	32.99	28.96	27.93	24.76	24.31	27.75	25.79	25.69	29.39	32.89	31.89	
Other foreign banks.....	178.30	191.55	206.05	194.44	193.93	161.98	164.05	151.02	158.06	163.70	162.34	144.96	149.66	
Canadian Chartered banks.....	2.55	2.17	2.20	2.66	2.35	2.49	2.43	2.68	2.15	4.19	2.35	2.33	1.66	
SECURITIES—														
Dom. Prov. Government.....	3,644.9	3,699.1	3,708.7	3,728.7	3,681.9	3,738.5	3,765.1	3,792.4	3,864.5	3,915.6	3,633.7	3,710.2	3,625.8	
Canadian municipal.....	96.30	98.15	98.82	95.40	96.27	98.96	102.21	131.04	135.65	112.41	115.46	134.79	135.41	
Foreign public.....	257.57	251.21	277.31	303.72	318.44	288.61	275.98	273.55	280.04	270.36	275.83	277.53	319.20	
Other.....	120.70	148.26	157.86	178.29	177.87	176.37	192.60	178.37	190.61	197.22	207.19	246.60	263.76	
Totals.....	4,119.4	4,196.7	4,242.7	4,304.1	4,274.5	4,297.5	4,335.9	4,375.3	4,470.5	4,495.6	4,231.5	4,399.1	4,264.2	
CALL AND SHORT LOANS—														
In Canada.....	190.78	147.65	151.82	124.51	115.20	96.22	98.31	90.69	97.29	116.86	135.48	134.38	154.80	
Elsewhere.....	109.67	105.96	106.07	89.57	74.41	68.48	77.31	85.61	79.69	70.48	77.10	85.29	72.69	
CURRENT LOANS—														
In Canada—														
Prov. Governments.....	19.22	17.59	16.74	19.43	9.43	5.01	6.27	13.01	12.12	18.58	26.67	6.29	6.97	
Municipalities, etc.....	24.03	30.89	29.46	27.02	30.88	34.25	33.41	34.23	27.16	26.98	24.87	26.94	30.54	
Other.....	1151.10	1132.75	1113.80	1140.36	1147.72	1190.15	1209.71	1235.81	1301.65	1430.54	1453.80	1448.0	1468.3	
Elsewhere than in Canada.....	147.31	149.05	151.87	150.17	154.10	142.34	148.42	159.93	164.53	167.55	177.95	180.61	190.89	
OTHER ASSETS—														
Non-current loans.....	0.96	0.97	0.91	0.63	0.95	0.96	0.92	0.94	0.95	0.92	0.94	0.94	0.96	
Bank premises.....	63.68	66.94	64.35	64.80	64.97	65.16	65.52	65.77	64.22	63.78	64.22	64.69	65.27	
Other real estate.....	1.90	1.89	1.86	1.77	1.77	1.76	1.69	1.60	1.32	0.85	0.85	0.81	0.79	
Mortgages.....	1.85	1.83	1.79	1.73	1.66	1.60	1.45	1.41	1.51	1.69	1.65	1.62	1.60	
Loans to controlled companies.....	10.77	10.73	10.69	10.64	10.59	10.65	10.61	10.57	10.40	10.37	10.31	10.68	10.63	
Note circulation deposit.....	1.69	1.69	1.70	1.70	1.70	1.55	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.33	1.34	1.34	
Letters of credit.....	146.20	153.14	156.29	174.04	180.89	177.10	188.13	182.15	187.63	200.49	212.90	205.10	208.24	
Other assets.....	4.78	4.81	4.71	4.78	4.90	4.82	4.79	4.95	5.21	5.32	5.72	5.98	5.99	
Total Assets.....	7,233.4	7,192.7	7,373.6	7,360.9	7,309.8	7,316.6	7,342.2	7,508.7	7,692.7	7,877.0	7,798.6	7,767.7	7,750.6	
Liabilities—														
Notes in circulation.....	24.84	24.46	24.10	23.65	23.30	23.80	22.51	22.15	21.78	21.71	21.42	21.13	20.89	
Deposit Liabilities—														
Government Deposits—														
Dominion.....	650.74	517.59	559.56	548.63	114.30	142.95	153.83	120.70	286.65	600.17	365.93	451.96	299.33	
Provincial.....	105.86	108.14	122.32	120.18	128.07	135.99	124.82	127.21	121.83	119.84	125.97	161.32	140.24	
Public Deposits—														
Demand in Canada.....	1,995.4	1,985.3	2,178.5	2,207.0	2,150.3	2,197.1	2,148.2	2,265.3	2,315.7	2,181.8	2,290.6	2,088.6	2,145.4	
Time in Canada.....	3,078.0	3,170.23	3,237.5	3,305.7	3,363.43	3,410.9	3,465.7	3,524.13	3,476.7	3,460.1	3,469.3	3,532.8	3,586.3	
Foreign.....	724.50	728.92	772.14	770.60	766.11	697.43	704.07	710.12	714.96	700.88	716.08	734.08	779.67	
Deposits of other Banks—														
Canadian chartered banks.....	23.23	18.67	20.01	18.26	17.00	18.58	15.44	21.68	20.58	18.44	24.71	22.20	20.08	
United Kingdom banks.....	30.99	30.80	33.04	31.90	31.71	30.73	33.33	35.16	31.48	31.09	32.75	25.50	24.69	
Other banks.....	83.19	84.42	91.66	84.51	105.33	103.62	104.31	107.23	105.82	100.85	103.75	103.44	103.94	
Total Deposit Liabilities.....	6,701.8	6,651.0	6,811.7	6,786.9	6,676.8	6,728.2	6,749.3	6,911.7	7,073.7	7,212.3	7,129.3	7,118.0	7,099.6	
of which: Canadian currency.....	5,834.9	5,786.4	5,911.4	5,893.0	5,770.5	5,980.8	5,935.0	6,091.9	6,245.2	6,403.3	6,294.6	6,270.7	6,211.4	
Other Liabilities—														
Bills payable.....	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Letters of Credit.....	146.20	153.14	156.38	174.04	180.89	177.10	188.13	182.15	187.63	200.49	212.90	205.10	208.24	
Other.....	3.26	2.83	2.88	4.36	3.91	3.83	4.16	3.76	3.58	5.15	3.85	2.26	2.50	
Liabilities to Shareholders.....	1.88	1.48	3.12	1.88	1.48	3.12	1.90	1.50	3.79	2.57	2.04	3.15	1.96	
Dividends.....	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	136.75	
Reserve.....	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	145.50	
Capital paid up.....	7,216.8	7,176.2	7,357.0	7,344.4	7,253.3	7,300.0	7,325.6	7,491.5	7,677.1	7,866.58	7,788.21	7,757.3	7,740.2	
Total Liabilities.....														
Daily Average Data—														
Canadian currency deposits.....	5,733.5	5,764.9	5,781.0	5,795.3	5,788.7	5,840.9	5,897.6	5,973.3	6,099.7	6,298.1	6,198.5	6,184.8	6,289.7	
Canadian cash reserve.....	653.3	639.4	663.0	683.1	656.6	663.7	661.5	659.4	677.4	718.1	696.5	711.3	685.1	
Total public note circulation.....	964.8	978.0	984.9	979.1	982.5	986.8	992.1	1,005.5	1,014.5	1,014.4	1,030.0	999.7	1,000.2	
Daily Average Ratio:														
Cash to Deposits.....	11.4	11.1	11.5	11.8	11.3	11.4	11.6	11.0	11.1	11.4	11.1	11.5	10.9	

*Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

IX. Finance—Continued

48. CANADIAN CHARTERED BANKS—Concluded

Index Number— (1935-39=100)	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
Canadian deposits (daily average)...	246.2	247.5	248.2	248.8	248.5	250.8	253.2	256.5	261.9	270.4	266.1	265.5	270.0
Canadian cash re- serve (daily aver- age).....	271.5	265.8	275.6	283.9	272.9	275.9	283.2	274.1	281.5	298.5	289.5	295.6	284.7
Current loans in Canada.....	147.6	145.2	142.8	146.2	147.2	152.6	155.1	155.4	166.9	183.4	186.4	185.7	188.3
Total securities.....	303.7	309.4	312.8	317.3	315.2	316.9	319.7	322.6	329.6	331.5	312.0	322.1	314.4
Total public note cir- culation.....	496.6	503.3	506.9	503.9	505.7	507.9	510.6	517.5	522.1	522.1	530.1	514.5	515.7

*Chartered bank note circulation and Bank of Canada notes not held by chartered banks.

49. CHEQUES CASHED IN MILLION DOLLARS

Areas and Cities	1946										1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Cheques Cashed—													
MARITIME PROVINCES													
Halifax.....	62.6	59.5	113.0	76.6	80.5	67.6	60.5	80.1	76.0	72.3	70.2	59.8	67.3
Moncton.....	21.7	21.0	24.2	22.4	22.7	24.0	20.7	25.6	27.2	27.0	24.2	20.4	23.8
Saint John.....	39.3	37.3	38.8	39.9	40.0	36.8	34.4	38.8	43.4	40.3	41.7	36.9	39.0
Totals.....	123.7	117.8	176.0	138.9	143.2	128.4	115.7	144.4	146.6	139.6	136.1	117.1	130.1
QUEBEC													
Montreal.....	1,502.8	1,465.5	1,730.4	1,640.0	1,594.9	1,382.6	1,675.9	1,706.3	1,651.5	1,516.7	1,883.3	1,630.2	1,716.1
Quebec.....	120.6	129.0	137.4	143.3	184.7	124.6	135.7	156.9	153.1	162.2	141.6	124.4	160.5
Sherbrooke.....	14.9	15.8	16.9	17.0	17.6	18.3	16.6	18.5	17.8	18.7	15.4	15.0	16.5
Totals.....	1,638.3	1,610.4	1,884.7	1,801.2	1,797.2	1,525.4	1,827.6	1,881.7	1,822.5	1,697.6	2,040.6	1,769.7	1,893.1
ONTARIO													
Brantford.....	21.3	22.6	24.5	21.0	22.9	23.2	21.4	25.6	23.5	23.0	23.2	21.8	26.4
Chatham.....	13.6	12.4	15.0	14.2	15.1	13.2	14.4	15.5	18.7	21.7	19.3	20.7	22.2
Fort William.....	14.2	13.3	14.6	14.2	16.4	16.5	16.0	17.4	15.9	19.6	15.2	14.3	15.6
Hamilton.....	109.1	110.8	125.3	114.0	120.3	111.4	117.2	129.6	146.9	138.7	133.0	115.3	123.4
Kingston.....	16.8	16.6	17.4	16.2	16.3	15.4	17.0	18.5	20.2	20.9	18.4	13.9	15.3
Kitchener.....	27.6	27.7	33.3	30.7	31.2	24.4	25.3	31.0	35.9	33.2	34.1	34.1	34.2
London.....	72.6	71.7	74.4	84.0	71.0	71.8	64.3	72.0	80.3	74.6	81.0	70.4	78.5
Ottawa.....	613.9	657.2	411.3	318.5	285.4	240.1	545.3	498.5	336.5	496.9	243.8	389.1	283.2
Peterborough.....	14.1	16.6	17.4	17.0	16.7	15.5	16.2	18.2	18.6	19.2	17.0	16.0	16.5
St. Catharines.....	18.7	19.6	21.4	21.5	21.6	21.0	20.9	23.4	27.1	23.0	22.6	23.5	23.2
Sarnia.....	18.6	16.7	18.5	21.8	30.0	23.2	22.4	21.6	20.5	25.4	22.2	18.4	22.1
Sudbury.....	11.4	11.5	13.0	13.0	12.9	12.9	13.0	14.9	14.9	14.7	13.4	12.5	14.0
Toronto.....	1,051.2	1,648.1	1,671.9	1,677.2	1,634.3	1,337.7	1,545.8	1,589.6	1,704.1	1,649.1	1,875.2	1,713.7	1,598.2
Windsor.....	73.8	76.9	85.8	81.6	77.0	93.7	74.7	75.9	78.5	82.4	78.0	75.7	88.0
Totals.....	2,673.9	2,721.8	2,543.9	2,444.8	2,361.1	2,020.1	2,515.0	2,552.0	2,541.6	2,643.9	2,596.4	2,539.2	2,330.9
PRAIRIE PROVINCES													
Brandon.....	6.8	7.8	8.9	7.7	13.0	8.0	8.5	10.3	10.0	8.8	7.3	6.0	7.7
Calgary.....	113.6	111.3	124.6	123.5	143.7	125.3	125.8	171.9	174.2	145.1	140.2	112.6	128.0
Edmonton.....	137.0	93.4	99.8	73.2	99.4	107.3	101.8	102.1	108.4	107.8	96.7	90.4	104.6
Lethbridge.....	11.7	12.2	11.0	11.4	11.2	13.8	13.5	14.6	13.4	13.2	12.4	12.9	11.8
Medicine Hat.....	6.7	6.1	8.0	6.5	8.5	8.6	7.0	8.6	7.0	6.3	6.3	5.3	6.9
Moose Jaw.....	15.2	15.9	14.6	14.4	15.4	14.2	17.2	19.6	16.9	15.7	15.3	11.2	15.5
Prince Albert.....	8.3	8.7	8.5	8.3	9.6	8.4	8.3	10.2	9.4	10.4	9.0	7.7	8.9
Regina.....	64.3	83.9	80.7	66.7	76.6	71.2	108.8	104.3	112.5	82.2	67.4	52.4	98.6
Saskatoon.....	29.0	29.7	30.3	28.6	26.3	30.2	29.6	34.0	33.3	31.6	27.9	22.7	27.5
Winnipeg.....	414.0	492.1	625.9	455.9	430.3	417.5	587.7	751.7	728.5	551.9	534.6	380.1	443.4
Totals.....	805.6	861.3	1,010.9	795.7	831.9	801.7	1,008.0	1,227.2	1,213.5	972.9	917.1	701.3	852.7
BRITISH COLUMBIA													
New Westminster.....	17.8	18.2	19.6	21.3	17.9	18.7	18.5	20.3	19.8	20.6	18.6	17.9	22.0
Vancouver.....	364.6	364.2	379.9	340.7	329.1	321.1	336.2	411.4	398.1	397.4	435.7	364.1	434.0
Victoria.....	54.3	61.0	100.5	66.7	66.4	51.2	69.5	75.6	69.4	64.8	71.3	87.3	74.2
Totals.....	436.7	443.4	500.0	428.7	413.4	391.0	424.2	507.2	487.3	482.8	525.6	469.4	530.3
Canada.....	5,478.2	5,754.7	6,115.6	5,989.4	5,546.9	4,968.5	5,890.5	6,312.6	6,211.5	5,935.2	6,215.8	5,596.7	5,737.1

SUMMARY OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES

(Thousands of Dollars)

	1942-43	1943-44	1944-45	1945-46	Estimated 1946-47
Ordinary revenues.....	2,182,799	2,570,094	2,300,097	2,363,162	2,612,200
Capital refunds.....	102	93	728	376	100
Special receipts and other credits.....	57,443	194,831	386,509	649,647	371,971
Total revenues.....	2,240,344	2,765,018	2,687,334	3,013,185	2,984,271
Ordinary expenditures.....	561,251	630,381	767,376	1,061,902	1,233,952
Capital expenditures.....	3,276	2,622	3,164	4,508	13,205
War expenditures.....	3,724,249	4,587,023	4,418,446	4,002,949	1,313,188
Special expenditures.....	31,288	37,496	7,506	17,358	31,829
Government Owned Enterprises.....	1,248	1,307	1,358	1,334	10,670
Other charges.....	56,660	63,425	47,762	48,177	29,283
Total expenditures.....	4,377,972	5,322,254	5,245,612	5,136,228	2,632,127
Surplus (+) or Deficit (-).....	-2,137,628	-2,557,236	-2,558,278	-2,123,043	+ 352,144

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF ESTIMATED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1946-47

	Amount in thousands of dollars	Percentage of Total Revenue	Percentage to Total Expenditure
Ordinary Revenue—			
Customs Import Duties.....	237,400	7.95	9.02
Excise Duties.....	196,000	6.57	7.45
Excise Taxes—sales tax and other excise taxes.....	579,000	19.40	21.99
Income tax on persons, corporations, etc.....	964,100	32.31	36.63
Excess Profits Tax (net).....	441,500	14.79	16.77
Succession Duties.....	23,600	.79	.90
Other Tax Revenues.....	9,720	.33	.37
Total Revenue from Taxes.....	2,451,320	82.14	93.13
Non-tax Revenue.....	160,880	5.39	6.11
Total Ordinary Revenue.....	2,612,200	87.53	99.24
Special Receipts and Credits.....	372,071	12.47	14.14
Grand Total Revenue.....	2,984,271	100.00	113.38
Ordinary Expenditure—			
Interest on Public Debt.....	461,035	17.52	15.45
Other Public Debt Charges.....	12,278	.47	.41
Subsidies and payments to provinces under taxation agree- ments.....	102,769	3.90	3.44
Family Allowances.....	245,225	9.32	8.22
Old Age Pensions and pensions to blind persons.....	35,992	1.37	1.21
Unemployment Insurance Act, administration and Govern- ment's contribution.....	23,082	.88	.77
Agriculture.....	13,547	.51	.45
Mines and Resources.....	19,454	.74	.65
National Revenue.....	27,895	1.06	.93
Post Office.....	65,988	2.51	2.21
Public Works.....	27,178	1.03	.91
Transport.....	22,409	.85	.75
Veterans Affairs.....	94,423	3.59	3.17
All other.....	82,677	3.14	2.77
Total Ordinary Expenditure.....	1,233,952	46.89	41.34
Capital Expenditure.....	13,205	.50	.44

Source: Excerpts from the Dominion Government Budget of April 29, 1947.

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF ESTIMATED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1946-47
—Concluded—

	Amount in thousands of dollars	Percentage of Total Expenditure	Percentage to Total Revenue
Demobilization and Reconversion Expenditure—			
National Defence—Army	221,221	8.40	7.41
Navy	58,950	2.24	1.98
Air	96,270	3.66	3.23
Reconstruction and Supply	134,900	5.13	4.52
Veterans Affairs	512,576	19.47	17.18
Other Departments	289,271	10.99	9.69
Total Demobilization and Reconversion Expenditure..	1,313,188	49.89	44.01
Special Expenditure	31,829	1.21	1.07
Government Owned Enterprises	10,670	.40	.36
Other Charges	29,283	1.11	.98
Grand Total Expenditure	2,632,127	100.00	88.20

SOURCES OF CASH, FISCAL YEAR 1946-47
(millions of dollars)

Revenues—

Personal income tax	\$ 695.0
Corporate income tax	239.0
Excess profits tax	448.7
Other direct taxes	53.7
Customs duties, excise duties and excise taxes	1,012.4
Other indirect taxes	9.7

Total tax revenue	2,458.5
Post office revenue	75.0
Return on investments	68.8
Other ordinary revenue	17.1

Gross ordinary revenue	2,619.4
Less estimated refundable portion of excess profits tax	-7.2

Capital and other non-active refunds	1.2
Special receipts	369.5

Total cash revenues

2,982.9

Miscellaneous Receipts and Credits—

Deposit and trust accounts	-34.3
Insurance, pension and guaranty accounts	54.1
Deferred credits	-16.3
Sundry suspense accounts	-48.0

Total miscellaneous receipts and credits

-44.5

Total revenues and miscellaneous receipts in cash

2,938.4

Borrowing in Canada—

New issues—general public	\$ 490.8
Add estimated refundable portion of excess profits tax—net	4.8

Less maturities paid in cash	-748.3
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Net decrease in funded debt payable in Canada	-252.7
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Net decrease in floating debt payable in Canada	-14.9
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-267.6

Add decrease in total of cash balances in domestic currency, Securities Investment Account and advances to Foreign Exchange Control Board ..	621.0
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Grand total sources of cash

\$ 3,291.8

Source: Excerpts from the Dominion Government Budget of April 29, 1947.

IX. Finance

51. PURCHASES OF SECURITIES BY CANADA FROM OTHER COUNTRIES

In Dollars

Month	Canadian Securities			United States Securities Total	United Kingdom Securities Total	Other Countries Securities Total	Un-specified Bonds and De-bentures	Total
	Total	Bonds and De-bentures	Common and Preference Stocks					
1945								
Aug.....	6,392,230	2,173,758	4,218,472	2,265,400	24,891	54,994	195,060	8,932,575
Sept.....	9,628,315	5,290,448	4,337,867	2,965,632	10,794	28,990	321,881	13,046,840
Oct.....	11,477,374	5,303,805	6,173,569	4,204,773	77,365	374,580	138,510	16,272,602
Nov.....	16,692,380	6,277,769	10,414,611	6,881,738	56,813	63,581	80,725	23,775,237
Dec.....	16,140,256	4,397,658	11,742,598	7,851,422	140	242,628	173,117	24,418,559
1946								
Jan.....	23,656,765	7,048,082	16,608,683	8,620,335	372,141	280,940	300,380	33,230,561
Feb.....	21,013,784	7,763,790	13,242,911	9,583,915	41,060	53,617	186,888	30,879,264
Mar.....	14,215,953	6,552,115	7,659,850	4,063,148	111,916	17,572	400,787	18,809,376
April.....	17,512,862	6,104,024	11,408,773	7,161,678	3,303	203,784	41,106	24,922,733
May.....	13,431,481	3,439,009	9,992,472	5,753,915	100,495	145,458	21,094	19,451,573
June.....	12,702,185	4,433,968	8,264,559	6,084,440	1,510	204,167	119,991	19,116,298
July.....	15,463,147	7,925,989	7,537,158	3,893,176	.....	262,660	107,445	19,753,075
Aug.....	13,711,392	5,520,219	8,140,730	4,276,656	.....	1,564,397	46,512	19,598,957
Sept.....	25,922,900	12,456,477	13,413,233	6,272,228	27,894	133,031	7,425	32,363,478
Oct.....	14,999,446	7,157,421	7,841,996	5,559,125	22,707	75,318	253,148	20,909,744
Nov.....	12,382,183	4,652,647	7,729,536	4,023,670	9,576	94,398	179,619	16,689,452
Dec.....	18,149,449	10,209,045	7,940,357	6,608,670	.....	257,862	214,367	25,480,348
1947								
Jan.....	19,596,468	8,912,332	10,681,565	4,479,454	251,989	222,410	506,799	25,057,120

52. SALES OF SECURITIES BY CANADA TO OTHER COUNTRIES

Month	Canadian Securities			United States Securities Total	United Kingdom Securities Total	Other Countries Securities Total	Un-specified Bonds and De-bentures	Total
	Total	Bonds and De-bentures	Common and Preference Stocks					
1945								
Aug.	23,945,766	20,097,130	3,848,636	4,591,075	181,565	84,949	527,717	29,331,072
Sept.	12,033,037	7,653,729	4,379,308	7,139,110	119,487	144,007	207,540	19,643,181
Oct.	17,545,830	10,195,977	7,349,853	10,474,546	32,458	437,795	247,439	28,738,068
Nov.	29,391,449	17,771,848	11,585,617	12,871,612	91,779	255,875	374,670	42,983,385
Dec.	23,661,240	9,766,017	13,895,223	11,671,320	12,784	259,294	420,701	36,025,339
1946								
Jan.	37,107,819	20,093,667	17,011,902	12,820,400	135,449	164,101	689,910	50,917,679
Feb.	55,604,643	42,867,363	12,735,699	9,624,231	95,171	71,823	392,298	65,788,166
Mar.	31,867,784	22,238,537	9,628,001	6,779,709	65,029	86,030	242,118	39,040,670
April.	27,312,570	17,212,482	10,097,679	10,012,723	11,909	189,799	389,210	37,918,211
May.	20,042,358	7,020,923	13,017,919	9,277,030	268,177	147,011	246,798	29,981,374
June.	30,294,461	22,138,763	8,153,811	9,518,760	158,189	1,089,525	318,358	41,379,293
July.	22,876,719	15,464,434	7,412,285	4,975,643	67,423	59,158	38,259	28,017,202
Aug.	17,324,995	11,782,564	5,542,431	5,337,470	49,041	804,322	170,531	23,686,369
Sept.	24,636,995	18,965,461	5,671,534	7,125,328	21,634	165,988	72,467	32,023,412
Oct.	17,230,702	13,795,049	3,435,424	4,540,765	23,151	107,266	778,632	22,687,093
Nov.	16,879,211	11,159,145	5,717,952	4,614,782	25,111	83,770	94,723	21,697,597
Dec.	16,890,304	13,184,582	3,703,908	4,884,687	1,065	158,825	693,140	22,653,021
1947								
Jan.	23,351,729	18,750,762	4,581,818	4,183,828	34,751	336,815	433,590	28,340,713

SOURCE.—Sales and Purchases of Securities between Canada and Other Countries—International Payments Branch.

IX. Finance—Concluded

53. STOCK MARKET TRANSACTIONS AND BOND FINANCING

Classification	1946										1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Transactions—													
MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE AND													
MONTREAL CURBS MARKET—													
Shares Traded—													
Industrials.....000	1,058	1,892	1,652	985	1,072	849	1,466	968	885	963	1,069	1,202	993
Mining.....000	4,075	3,490	2,501	2,892	2,136	4,234	3,968	2,351	2,705	2,431	3,455	4,119	2,510
Value of Listings.....\$000,000	9,594	9,747	9,836	9,899	9,392	9,358	8,615	8,567	8,717	8,922	9,233	9,271	.....
Brokers' Loans.....\$000	27,491	24,797	26,041	24,582	19,513	19,366	15,556	18,041	17,171	19,647	17,846	19,013	.....
Loan Ratio.....	0-35	0-31	0-33	0-31	0-26	0-26	0-23	0-27	0-25	0-28	0-24	0-25	.....
TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE—													
Borrowings on collateral.....\$000	28,873	33,208	33,752	33,946	28,982	28,148	28,150	26,829	27,462	29,951	30,667	32,572	28,100
Ratio to quoted values.....	0-37	0-42	0-42	0-43	0-39	0-38	0-41	0-40	0-39	0-41	0-42	0-44	0-39
Sales.....000	31,755	40,907	30,957	18,719	24,351	23,864	25,724	21,340	28,523	24,409	33,697	36,921	23,245
Values.....\$000	64,879	75,005	76,560	44,211	48,761	39,933	62,181	39,975	41,876	37,123	50,562	55,144	37,558
Market values ¹.....\$000,000	7,813	7,993	8,068	7,582	7,522	7,467	6,810	6,719	7,048	7,241	7,311	7,403	7,274
New Issues of Bonds ².....\$000,000	1232-0	577-5	270-7	237-3	283-8	168-0	650-0	983-0	701-5	224-6	308-2	337-9	791-6
Dividend Payments ³													
1935-39-100.....	137-2	138-7	139-9	139-9	140-2	141-3	141-5	142-4	144-1	147-4	155-2	155-5	156-7
Dividend Payments.....\$000	30,497	29,062	9,564	47,161	29,562	12,398	25,366	26,374	5,879	50,647	33,875	10,906	36,908

	1944		1945				1946			
	III	IV	I	II	III	IV	I	II	III	IV
Bond Issues and Retirements¹										
DOM. GOVT. DIRECT AND GRD.										
New issues.....	12-6	1672-6	14-5	1551-5	11-1	2036-4	9-7	7-0	6-4	892-8
Retirements.....	118-7	217-3	7-0	9-5	10-7	104-0	105-0	213-9	10-5	442-5
PROVINCIAL DIRECT AND GRD.										
New Issues—new.....	2-5	5-1	2-5	12-6	18-9	2-3	13-2	13-0	15-0	6-1
—refunding.....	25-2	29-1	47-1	.....	29-6	61-0	13-6	17-5	30-0	12-5
Retirements—refunded.....	39-2	22-8	6-8	21-3	38-6	71-1	4-8	13-5	38-0	11-6
—other.....	15-1	14-7	10-8	18-0	16-7	20-8	20-3	15-0	20-8	13-8
CORPORATIONS										
New Issues—new.....	12-2	14-8	7-6	7-7	28-0	30-9	18-1	45-0	21-5	10-4
—refunding.....	4-5	22-2	81-3	12-4	11-1	2-0	97-5	179-9	143-1	41-9
Retirements—refunded.....	18-4	22-2	43-1	45-2	18-8	2-4	28-9	219-4	112-1	98-6
—other.....	21-2	30-7	12-8	37-1	11-6	12-9	37-4	32-4	30-6	19-7

¹ Month end values of all listed stocks.² Source: A. E. Ames & Co.³ Source: Nesbitt Thomson & Co. Ltd.⁴ Totals shown by quarters. Source: Statistical Summary, Bank of Canada.

X. Other Countries

54. INDEXES OF WHOLESALE PRICES IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES¹

Jan.-June, 1939=100

Country	1946										1947	
	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan. Feb.
Wholesale Prices—												
Canada.....	144	144	148	148	149	149	149	149	151	152	152	155 161
United States.....	141	143	144	145	148	163	169	192	175	183	184	185 189
Argentina.....	216	222	222	225	233	230	228	233	235	234	234	235
Chile.....	228	228	233	239	245	255	264	273	278	282	281	.....
Mexico.....	219	224	228	231	236	239	242	247	252	256	254	250 247
Peru.....	320	220	222	228	228	230	235	239	243	252	258	261 298
Venezuela.....	146	141	150	149	150	156	154	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
India.....	253	253	253	253	253	264	270	271	271	282	290	294 289
Iran.....	602	476	441	417	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Palestine.....	346	342	345	343	336	344	353	364	367	348	347	348
Denmark.....	194	186	187	186	187	188	195	196	201	202	202	204 205
Finland.....	545	558	613	605	612	619	624	631	634	634	639	635 640
Norway.....	171	169	171	174	173	175	174	174	174	176	177	178 176
Portugal.....	246	254	250	257	231	225	231	228	223	227	230	232 255
United Kingdom Board of Trade.....	177	177	177	178	178	181	182	182	183	184	185	187 188
Sweden.....	169	168	168	169	178	170	169	166	170	174	175	178
Switzerland.....	201	202	201	201	201	202	203	201	205	206	206	207
Australia.....	139	139	140	140	140	140	138	139	139	142	140	141
New Zealand.....	152	151	153	153	153	153	152	147	147	148	148	.....
Union South Africa.....	159	158	158	162	163	163	164	165	165	164	.....	.....
Egypt.....	336	333	.....	.....	323	325	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

¹ Source: United Nations Bulletin.

X. Other Countries—Continued

55. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES¹

Classification	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Production and Related Series—														
Industrial production. 1935-39=100	168	165	159	170	172	177	179	181	183	181		188	189	189
Mineral production. 1935-39=100	137	104	115	130	146	143	145	144	136	136		145	146	147
Manufacturing production. 1935-9=100	173	176	167	176	177	184	185	188	191	190		196	196	197
Cattle receipts, primary markets.000	1,920	2,145	1,783	1,725	3,121	2,562	1,923	3,650	2,871	2,447		2,404	1,950	.....
Hog receipts, primary market.000	2,211	2,472	2,431	1,352	3,070	1,832	203	2,264	3,221	2,993		3,469	2,304	.....
Sheep and lambs, receipts.000	1,753	1,984	1,610	2,517	2,286	2,176	2,542	3,656	1,966	1,495		1,669	.....	.....
Poultry receipts 5 markets. 000 lb.	31,348	37,278	34,765	32,865	38,138	43,162	61,131	89,972	72,852	65,114		27,631	23,641	.....
Newsprint production.000 s. tons	65-3	67-1	65-9	61-2	62-7	65-1	61-0	67-2	64-7	63-1		68-6	.....	.....
Consumption.000 s. tons	267-7	259-0	261-4	259-3	243-1	260-1	268-4	292-3	291-5	294-8		266-4	.....	.....
Pig iron consumption.000 s. tons	4,374	3,730	2,305	3,623	4,560	4,696	4,571	4,512	4,424	3,992		5,071	.....	.....
Steel ingot production.000 s. tons	6,507	5,890	4,072	5,625	6,610	6,887	6,518	6,970	6,410	6,760		7,213	6,422	7,285
Automobile production—														
Passenger cars.Number	90,045	158,296	152,948	142,313	229,321	241,302	239,412	285,656	251,907	262,876		252,100	263,998	302,954
Trucks and tractors."	39,320	81,072	74,650	58,739	93,458	105,516	92,014	109,953	100,552	101,484		102,127	114,969	117,217
Contracts awarded.\$100,000	697-6	734-9	652-4	807-9	718-0	679-9	619-5	573-2	503-7	457-3		571-6	442-2	596-8
Car loadings.000 cars	3,982	2,605	2,616	4,063	3,407	4,478	3,517	3,680	4,220	3,622		3,168	3,179	417-0
Electric power production.mil. kw. hr.	17,800	17,477	17,673	17,624	18,620	19,515	18,514	20,222	19,949	20,848		21,636	19,616	21,076
Tobacco Consumption—														
Cigars.mn.	480	454	497	452	439	501	458	538	547	466		510	446	.....
Cigarettes.mn.	26,401	25,452	29,972	26,360	25,440	28,953	26,865	32,778	27,696	22,695		28,451	26,338	26,336
Mfd. tobacco and snuff. 000 lbs.	18,519	20,023	21,223	21,064	20,949	22,733	21,671	25,631	22,728	17,636		20,124	17,389	.....
Petroleum production.mn. bbls.	138-8	140-2	148-3	146-9	152-6	149-9	143-7	148-3	144-7	146-8		144-8	.....	.....
Consumption (to stills).mn. bbls.	144-5	139-9	148-6	145-1	150-5	150-6	145-2	146-8	140-5	148-2		147-0	.....	.....
Stocks, end of month														
refinable in U.S.mn. bbls.	221-4	222-5	221-6	223-1	224-4	224-2	222-4	222-1	225-4	224-5		223-8	.....	.....
Gasoline production.000 bbls.	61,899	61,160	65,191	64,345	67,445	69,707	66,284	67,308	66,072	69,028		65,985	.....	.....
Stocks, end of month.000 bbls.	95,186	90,444	85,801	83,726	79,384	78,833	78,848	77,628	79,980	84,534		90,300	.....	.....
Cotton consumption.000 bales	804	814	872	793	730	856	818	931	877	774		947	841	875
Internal Trade—														
All retail stores.\$100,000	7,473	7,707	7,926	7,736	7,621	8,540	8,203	8,911	9,086	10,282		7,838	7,408	.....
Chain stores sales.1935-39=100	230-8	218-0	217-0	218-6	230-6	254-0	238-3	237-2	264-0	260-6		258-6	261-1	.....
Departmental stores (adjusted).1935-39=100	263	250	256	275	274	290	269	257	272	274		265	268	274
External Trade—														
Imports.\$100,000	384-5	406-6	396-7	385-0	432-0	424-0	376-0	399-0	482-0	536-0		533-0	435-0	.....
Exports.\$100,000	768-0	740-6	815-3	858-0	808-1	859-0	626-0	829-0	965-0	108-0		1096-0	1134-0	.....
Employment—Adjusted—														
Total.000	37,906	38,365	38,728	38,963	39,124	39,648	39,907	39,957	40,061	39,983		40,207	.....	.....
Manufacturing.000	13,247	13,850	13,992	14,134	14,203	14,468	14,655	14,726	14,930	15,011		15,079	.....	.....
Mining.000	801	806	717	811	815	825	822	822	816	835		835	.....	.....
Construction.000	1,462	1,597	1,708	1,837	1,882	1,933	1,961	1,948	1,735	1,710		1,630	.....	.....
Transportation.000	3,989	3,939	3,873	3,878	3,903	3,941	3,915	3,968	4,005	3,997		3,999	.....	.....
Trade.000	7,758	7,775	7,763	7,788	7,898	7,973	7,998	7,954	7,980	7,935		8,165	.....	.....
Pay Rolls—Manufacturing.1939=100	232-9	249-2	248-1	256-8	261-2	278-2	284-3	286-4	291-8	299-5		300-3	.....	.....
Durable goods.1939=100	236-8	267-3	267-2	280-1	287-7	306-9	314-4	318-5	321-6	327-3		329-2	.....	.....
Nondurable goods.1939=100	229-2	231-4	229-4	234-0	235-4	250-2	254-6	255-1	262-6	272-4		272-0	.....	.....

X. Other Countries—Concluded

55. SIGNIFICANT STATISTICS OF THE UNITED STATES—Concluded

Classification	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Prices—														
Wholesale Prices-1926=100														
Department of Labour.....	108-9	110-2	111-0	112-9	124-7	129-1	134-0	134-1	139-6	140-9		141-5	144-6	149-6
Bond Prices—Dollars														
All issues, New York, S.E.	105-29	103-89	104-03	104-21	103-52	103-10	102-15	102-46	102-00	102-64		102-89	.....	.....
U.S. Treasury (taxable).....	106-5	106-6	104-8	105-3	104-9	104-1	103-3	103-6	103-7	103-9		104-3	104-4	.....
Prices Common Stocks ¹														
(402)—														
1935-39=100.....	141-8	151-7	154-3	153-2	140-6	146-4	125-4	122-3	120-6	125-5		125-2	128-7	123-7
Industrial (354).....	144-5	155-9	158-8	156-9	133-8	150-4	128-8	125-9	123-8	128-9		128-5	132-6	127-7
Railways (20).....	153-6	156-8	157-2	161-8	153-9	147-1	119-0	110-2	113-3	118-8		114-7	118-8	109-9
Utilities (28).....	122-8	127-5	129-3	130-4	127-7	125-3	109-7	107-2	105-5	109-8		110-7	111-4	107-3
Cost of living, 1935-39=100.....	130-2	131-1	131-7	133-3	141-2	144-1	145-9	148-6	152-2	153-3		153-1	152-8	156-0
Retail Prices—														
Dec. 31, 1930=100.....	113-6	113-7	114-5	114-7	115-1	116-0	116-7	117-8	119-0	120-7		122-1	.....	.....
Finance—														
Stock sales, N.Y.—														
Mil. Shares.....	25-7	31-4	30-4	21-7	20-6	20-8	43-5	30-4	23-8	29-8		23-6	.....	.....
Bond sales, N.Y.—														
Mil. Dollars.....	105-0	123-3	94-0	84-0	79-9	78-0	149-3	112-7	95-1	127-6		125-5	80-0	75-6
Bank debits, N.Y.—														
Mil. Dollars.....	35,070	37,308	35,085	34,972	37,357	30,216	31,397	33,913	31,088	41,252		34,305	20,745	33,547
Outside, 141 centres—														
Mil. Dollars.....	43,448	42,122	42,433	43,219	45,054	43,684	43,155	47,670	46,105	52,295		49,060	43,198	49,938
Income Payments and Expenditures—														
Income Payments—														
Mil. Dollars.....	13,199	12,960	12,769	14,478	13,979	13,481	14,317	14,673	14,202	15,952		14,402	13,402	.....
Index..... 1935-39=100.....	234-7	236-4	239-7	240-9	250-6	252-1	246-4	254-6	259-2	261-6		253-6	262-9	.....
Expenditures—														
Goods..... \$100,000.....	19,495	.....	.....	22,055	.....	.....	23,050	.....	.....	26,790		.....	.....	.....
Services..... \$100,000.....	8,637	.....	.....	8,775	.....	.....	9,050	.....	.....	9,325		.....	.....	.....
Goods, adjusted														
1935-39=100.....	231-5	.....	.....	232-2	.....	.....	248-6	.....	.....	262-3		.....	.....	.....
Services—														
1935-39=100.....	160-4	.....	.....	164-3	.....	.....	170-1	.....	.....	175-8		.....	.....	.....

¹ Courtesy of the Survey of Current Business. ² Based on sample of 422 publishers. ³ Courtesy of Standard and Poor's Corporation. ⁴ Quarterly Totals.

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Classification	1946											1947		
	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.
Banking—														
BANK OF ENGLAND ¹ —														
Private deposits..... £ mn.	274-5	306-5	302-8	342-4	313-6	295-4	321-1	316-5	327-5	332-6		346-8	332-3	384-0
Bank and currency notes..... £ mn.	1326-3	1348-3	1400-2	1363-9	1870-7	1383-4	1361-8	1382-5	1365-7	1417-0		1371-5	1374-6	1335-4
Gold reserve..... £ mn.	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2	0-2		0-2	0-2	0-2
LONDON CLEARING BANKS—														
Deposits..... £ mn.	4,749	4,865	4,894	5,045	5,113	5,198	5,302	5,397	5,503	5,635		5,629	5,519	5,556
Discounts..... £ mn.	379	433	470	526	522	494	405	472	497	610		624	659	750
Advances..... £ mn.	853	834	848	883	877	896	921	938	955	990		993	1,005	1,022
Investments..... £ mn.	1,246	1,282	1,322	1,382	1,406	1,393	1,393	1,403	1,410	1,427		1,427	1,439	1,455
Money—														
Day-to-day rate..... p.c.	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63	-63		-63	-63	-63
Three months rate..... p.c.	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52	-52		-52	-52	-52
Wholesale Prices—														
1938=100														
Total.....	169-7	170-3	170-8	171-2	174-1	174-3	174-9	178-1	176-5	177-3		.....	.....	.....
Food and tobacco.....	162-7	163-0	163-1	162-9	165-5	163-6	162-6	161-7	161-2	160-7		.....	.....	.....
Total industrial materials and manufactures.....	173-0	173-8	174-5	175-4	178-5	179-9	181-5	182-4	184-8	186-4		.....	.....	.....
Basic.....	198-8	199-3	200-1	202-5	207-4	207-7	209-2	211-3	219-0	233-1		.....	.....	.....
Intermediate.....	181-7	182-9	183-2	183-9	187-6	189-5	190-2	191-3	193-2	195-3		.....	.....	.....
Manufactures.....	150-4	151-2	152-2	152-5	154-7	156-7	159-6	160-1	160-8	161-1		.....	.....	.....
Building materials.....	157-8	159-2	161-6	162-4	170-8	171-8	177-1	177-7	177-4	177-4		.....	.....	.....
Employment—														
Number unemployed ² 000	372	371	375	376	359	364	359	366	367	363		401	503	.....

¹ Middle of month. ² Number of persons on the Registers of Employment Exchanges in Great Britain only.

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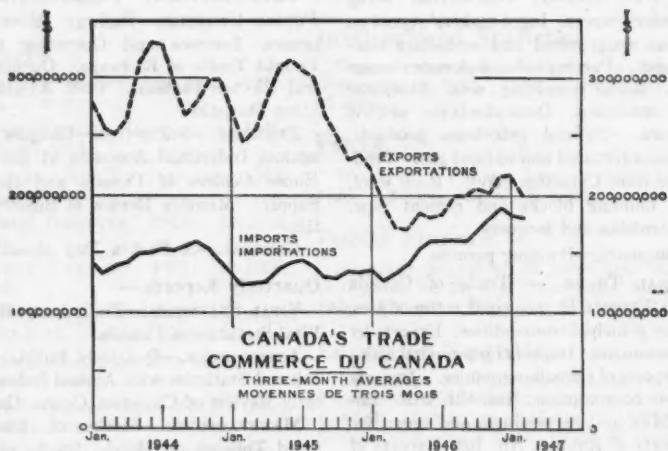
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